DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH.

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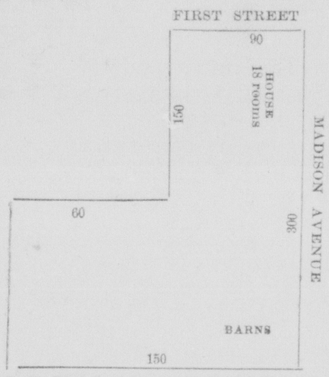

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NEW DRESS GOODS

Is crowding out the old—for this reason we are selling this week for

39c yd

A Big lot of Odds and Ends worth 50c to $1 yd.

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Get Your Girls School Dresses

Anna Geisenheimer

Round Corner Block

A PRETTY AUTUMN MATING

Miss Esther M. Walgren and Francis X. Newcomer Were United at Home Wedding Today.

CEREMONY OCCURRED AT HIGH NOON

Young People Left for Trip Through East—Have the Congratulations of Many Friends.

A pretty home wedding of more than passing interest was celebrated at high noon today at the home of the bride's parents 401 Galena avenue, when Miss Esther Magdalen Walgren, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walgren, and Francis Xauria Newcomer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H Newcomer, were united in marriage The officiating clergyman was Dr. Francis X. Miller of Cedar Falls, Iowa, an uncle of the groom, and he was assisted by Rev. Dr. Phillips of this city. Thirty-one years ago Dr. Miller married the parents of the groom.

About fifty guests witnessed the ceremony and they were received at the door by little Miss Florence Rice. The rooms of the house were very nicely decorated, the prevailing colors being green and white. Around the walls of the parlor were festooned trailing vines and autumn leaves, while vases of white astors and other flowers were given prominence, conspicuous among them being a jar of beautiful red dahlias and ferns upon the piano. The decorations in the library, where the ceremony took place, were largely of asparagus ferns and palms and a variety of white flowers. An arch of ferns and wild daisies spanned an alcove and here before a background of palms and beneath the floral monograms W and N the bridal party stood during the ceremony. he decorating of the house was done under the supervision of Mrs. Ira W. Lewis and Miss Frances Romer.

As the noon hour approached Prof Geo. E. Krinbill sang as an introduction, "Oh, Promise Me," by DeKoven, to the piano accompaniment of Clarence E. Krinbill. The latter then played Mendelssohn's wedding march as the bridal party entered. The ministers were waiting at the arch in the library when the groom and his best man, his brother, Will Newcomer, entered. The brides maid, Miss Lynda Walgren, sister of the bride, then entered followed by the bride. During the ceremony, which was the ring service, Mr. Krinbill played very softly several appropriate pieces.

The bride's gown was of white silk crepe de chene over taffeta and was plain but handsome. She carried a real lace handkerchief, the gift of a friend in Carlesbad, Germany, and also carried a shower bouquet of brides

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Late Telegrams

OPENING OF THE CAMPAIGN

Biennial Convention of Republican Clubs at Peoria.

Special to the Telegraph.

PEORIA, 2:00 p. m. Wednesday, Sept. 24—The biennial convention of the Illinois League of Republican Clubs is in session here today. The attendance is not large owing to the rain and threatening weather.

At the moving session O. F. Buck of Monmouth was elected President, and for the Thirteenth Congressional district the following officers were chosen: Vice President, Z. L. Sanders of Oregon. Committee on resolutions, Scott Cowan of Shannon. Delegates to the National League Convention, J. F. Aspenwall of Freeport, J. F. Swank of Forreston, B. F. Shaw of Dixon and W. S. Cowan of Shannon.

The State Committee will formally open the campaign this afternoon. A number of prominent Republicans of the state are present and will address the meeting.

This evening the League and State Committee will join in presenting Secretary Elihu Root, who will deliver an address upon the pending issues. Addresses are also expected from Senator Cullom, Governor Yates. Messrs. Hopkins of Aurora; Stead of Ottawa, Alfred Bayliss of Springfield and others.

THE GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATES.

Democratic Candidate Durand of Michigan Withdrawn--Odell of New York Renominated.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

FLINT, Mich., Sept 24.—Judge Geo. H. Durand, who was stricken with paralysis three weeks ago, has formally withdrawn as democratic candidate for governor. He is still a very sick man.

Odell is Renominated.

SARATOGA, N. Y. Sept. 24—Governor Odell was renominated on the first ballot. Frank W. Higgins was nominated Lieutenant Governor by acclamation.

—Wm. E. Thorp and Henry Menz of Flag are here today.

STERLING'S QUEEN CROWNED.

Queen Natalie Undaunted by Rain Came to Dixon With Her Royal Retinue.

WILL HAVE ANOTHER STERLING DAY.

Elks Have Not Yet Settled Upon the Day—Rain is Discouraging the Show People

Miss Natalie Wilbur was crowned Queen of the Elks' Carnival for Sterling Day last evening despite the discouraging condition of the weather. The Sixth Regiment Band marched to Miss Wilber's home in Sterling and escorted her and her attendants in carriages to the Northwestern station and they came up on the 10:22 train. A steady downpour of rain made the prospect very discouraging, but the Sterling queen is to be commended for her splendid courage in facing the rain in order to perform her royal duties. She and her attendants were forced to abandon their royal robes of white on account of the rain, but they lost nothing in the neat tailor made costume which they wore. Ninety-two Sterlingites came with the party.

The festivities of the day were necessarily abandoned in Dixon, but the Queen and her party were taken to the Nachusa House in carriages and a drawing-room reception was held throughout the afternoon. The Sterling band was generous with its concerts and the days was enjoyed as much as possible.

In the evening a good crowd gathered at Rosbrook's hall, where they were entertained for a time by the band and then the coronation ceremonies took place. The ceremony was very pretty and impressive. Mayor Truman, after a few appropriate remarks took the crown, which Queen Christine had removed and handed to a page, placed it upon the head of Miss Wilber and pronounced her Queen of the Corn Carnival. He then presented her with the keys of the city.

The Queen and her suit of Sterling's fair daughters held a reception and were then taken to see such of the shows as they desired to visit. It was announced that a dance, to which no admission would be charged, would be held in the hall after the ceremonies, but as several of the shows were open and it had nearly stopped raining the dance was declared off.

Meeting of Republican County Committee.

There will be a meeting of the Republican County Committee at the City Council rooms in this city next Monday afternoon, September 29th, at 1:30 o'clock.

QUEEN NATALIE WILBER OF STERLING

Miss Natalie Wilber, Queen of the Corn Carnival of Dixon on Sterling Day, is a niece of Hiram Aldrich of Sterling and has resided there for many years. She is one of the most charming young ladies of that city and has hosts of friends in all walks of life. Her election as the representative of Sterling at the Carnival is a most decided testimonial of her great popularity. We are indebted to the courtesy of the Sterling Gazette for the above portrait of the Queen.

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Fancy large yellow Crawfords per bushel.....$1.60
Good Crawfords per bushel.....$1.45
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Good White, per bushel.....$1.25

All stock guaranteed to be first class. Positively the last car this year.

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Dorothy South — By Eggleston, seems to be next in favor.

The Gates of the Kiss — By Harding is another.

The Prince of the Hills — By Harrison is well spoken of.

Many Other New Ones for sale at

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In this department of our business we have a large variety of all the latest designs in Pendants, Rings, Etc., at most reasonable prices. Our stock of Watches is very large. Give us a chance to show them to you before you buy.

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MORE LIGHT.

Why not have more light from the use of your oil this winter? We have lamps that transfer every drop of oil into light—clear, white light—without smoke or odor. One of these lamps will give nearly double as much light, from the same quantity of oil, as the flickery kind that smells. The smell and smoke is from the gas that is not fully consumed—not made into light. We have had a big stock of lamps—all good light-makers—and some of them are very cheap. All are bargains.

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To receive Eye Comfort and satisfaction here? If you have the slightest sort of eye troubles, you will never regret calling on us We use the most modern appliances we have the skill and are positive that we can furnish eyeglasses and spectacles to meet every possible requirement.

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If you have lost your appetite or become tired of what you have been eating—see if the following suggestions cannot help you. Begin the day right with Chase & Sanborns Seal Brand Coffee. Armours Sugar Cured Ham, choicest Bacon or the Ocean Wave Codfish, a nice fat Mackeral is most appetizing. In Olives we have a great variety, Queen, Crescent, Spanish, Stuffed and Pitted.
Pickles in Sweet and Sour Cucumbers, Sweet and Sour mixed Pickles, White Onions, Chow chow, etc.
Delicious Canned Vegetables: Asparagus that is almost equal to the garden gathered; Peas, Tomatoes and Corn.
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Canned and Fresh Pine apple, White and Black Cherries, Peaches, Appricots, etc.
Gold Medal Flour always makes good bread and Swans down Pastry Flour, Fine Cakes.

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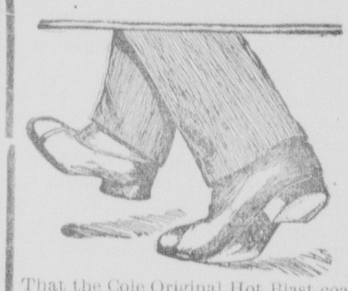

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and learn how to save the gas half of your coal—the part that goes up the chimney.
In the ordinary stove you waste 44 per cent of the fuel —44 per cent of soft coal is gas.
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Fire is never out. Cleanliness is a feature.
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Dixon, Illinois

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Blankets and Tennis Flannels

25 pair "Copake" Blankets worth 65c, sale price.....50c
20 pair Albatross Blankets, white, worth 65c, sale price.....50c
20 pair "Minneapolis" Blankets, grey, worth 75c, sale price....59c
15 pair "Derby" Blankets, worth $1 sale pricce.....79c
10 pair "Oakdale" Blankets worth 90c, sale price.....75c
39 pair 11-4 "Blazer" Blankets worth $1.25, sale price.....98c
25 pair Wool Blankets, white and grey. These blankets are samples and all go at wholesale price.
500 yds "Victeria" Tennis Flannel, best qualits, sale price.....9c
300 yds Nicolett Tennis Flannel, sale price.....6¼c

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Large Influx of Students at Steinmann College this Fall.

Steinmann College promises to have the most prosperous year of its history. Students are enrolling almost every day. A noticeable feature of the attendance is the large proportion of students from Dixon. The following are students from Dixon pursuing advanced studies: William Kiethley, Frank Palmer, Geo. W. Brown, Mary Beede, Esther Meyers, Daniel J. Merts, Dale Smith, Rolland Morton, May and Eva Brink, Lottie and Carl Sartories, Olive Knight, Wesley Hughes, Nellie Klosterman, Edward Gephart, Adam S. Dunlap, Paul L. Dornblaser, Garnett Cowan, Chas. J. Butter, Ethel Albertson, Rilla Webster and Mildred Bollmann.

The Business students from Dixon are Esma Seavey, Mary Williams, George Morton, Myrtle Wadsworth, Roy Raffensberger, George Edwards, Johnnie Easterwood, James Davlin, John Parsons, Jessie Chambers, Pearl Singlinger, Reed March, and E. R. Burks.

Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles.

The North-Western Line will sell excursion tickets September 29, 30 and October 1, with extreme return limit until November 15, inclusive, on account of Meeting N. W. D. A. at Monterey. Stop-over privileges. Variable routes, Pullman Drawing Room Room and Tourist Sleeping cars, world-renowned scenery. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Washington, D. C.

The North-Western Line will sell Excursion tickets October 2, 3, 4 and 5, with extreme return limit by extension until November 3, inclusive, on account of National G. A. R. Encampment. Stop-over privileges in specified territory. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Summer Tourist Rates.

Via the North-Western Line to the beautiful summer resorts of Wisconsin and the northwest. Send 2 cent stamp for copy of "Hints to Tourists." Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

WILLOW CREEK.

Sept. 22.—Many farmers are getting the 'phones now-a-days.

Frank Childs was in Iowa a few days last week.

Sick hogs have been reported east of town.

O. L. Hillison is busy now-a-days fixing up the roads.

James Jelly, formerly of this vicinity now night operator at Sandwick, was here on a visit.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hackman, Friday.

Another railroad was surveyed through here last week headed for Rock Island.

The brick building of C. C. Miller is nearly finished and D. C. Henderson building under way.

Nearly the whole town will have cement walks.

DIXON OPERA HOUSE

"Two that are troublesome, but necessary."

Friday, Sept. 26th

Wood & Ward's big company presenting there Splendid Spectacular Comedy, "The Two Merr Tramps" Common Sense Prices 25c, and 50.

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SPECIAL OFFER

REGARDING

diseases of the skin.

I have lately secured the agency for this city and vicinity of a preparation which is reliable and certain in clearing away troubles of the skin. Many forms of skin affections which have been considered incurable are conquered by this medicament as easily as a cough is stopped by the proper soothing and healing influences. This preparation is now in use among skin specialists, and many large hospitals have adopted it for eczema and kindred cases. It stands among the most useful medical agents now known.

I have evidence of its work to show which will interest any sufferer. Call and investigate same. Since I have been handling the remedy—known as D. D. D.—its work proves so effective I guarantee its efficacy. In all cases of skin affection I will refund the price of a bottle ($1) if the sufferer does not consider it literally a Godsend after trying. It is curing the worst kind of cases every day. It seems a pity any one should suffer the torture of skin troubles when so dependable a curative agent can be had so cheaply.

For Sale at Kelly's Drug Store

Death of Ex-Mayor Perkins of Polo

On Monday afternoon Geo. W. Perkins, ex-mayor of Polo, died of cancer of the stomach. He was a native of Buffalo township, Ogle county, and was nearly 52 years of age. He was one of Polo's most prominent citizens and business men, having been for more than thirty years engaged quite heavily in the lumber trade, latterly shipping quite largely of pine lumber to Liverpool and Glasgow. He leaves a wife, one son and a daughter.

Mr. Perkins served as an alderman of Polo for three terms, six years, and as mayor six years. During his administration a street grade was established, the city lighted by electricity and the water mains extended. He was city treasurer for two years, school treasurer of Polo district for fourteen years. He has been a member of the Board of Education since 1896, and although not a member he has been a trustee of the M. E. church for quite a number of years and one of its most liberal supporters.

The funeral will take place at the M. E. church in Polo Thursday afternoon at 2:30 and will be conducted by Revs. C. W. Thornton and J. H. More, and the interment at the family plot in Fairmount Cemetery.

Excursion Rates on the Illinois Central R. R.

The Illinois Central will make the following named rates for the occasions named:

Biennial Convention Illinois Republican Club at Peoria, Ill., Sept. 24th, at one fare of $2.74. Tickets to be sold Sept. 23rd and 24th and limited to return Sept 25th.

Peoria Corn Exposition at Peoria, Ill., Oct. 6-18th, rate of $2.74 for the round trip. Tickets will be sold Oct. 6th to the 18th and limited to return Oct. 20th.

Jo Daviess County Fair at Galena, Ill., Sept. 30th to Oct. 3rd. Fare of $3.05 for the round trip. Tickets will be sold Sept. 30th to Oct. 3rd and limited to return Oct. 4th.

Illinois State Fair at Springfield Sept. 29th to Oct. 4th. Fare of $4.87 for the round trip. Tickets to be sold Sept. 27th to Oct. 4th and limited to return Oct. 6th.

Northern Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Reunion, Freeport, Ill. Sept. 23rd and 24th. Fare of $1.45 for the round. trip: Tickets will be sold Sept. 22nd to 24th and limited to return Sept. 25th.

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.
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ANNUAL MEETING GRAIN DEALERS' NATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

Memphis, Tenn., October 1st to 3rd.

For this occasion the Illinois Central will make rate of one fare of $15.50 for the round trip on the certificate plan.

Certificates showing the purchase of one way tickets to Memphis at regular rate on Sept 29th and 30th will be honored for tickets to return free providing they are properly certified to by the secretary of the Grain Dealers' National Association and executed by the secretary of the Memphis Passenger Association, if presented on or before October 7th.

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Men's Heavy Fleece-Lined Shirts and Drawers, only.....25c Each
Men's Heavy Rockford Socks.....3c and 5c a Pair
100 Pair of Men's and Youths' Pants, wool goods, slightly soiled Bankrupt Stock, only.....75c a Pair
300 Pair of Men's Working Pants, only.....65c a pair
Men's Heavy Duck Coats lined, only.....$1.00
Men's Heavy Overcoats, bought at Bankrupt Sale.....$4.75
Men's Canton Flannel Bag Mits.....5c a pair
Boys' Heavy Sweaters, only..25c each
Men's Suits.....$3.00 and upwards
75 Misfit Suits, high grade of goods, just received. Special bargain sale on this lot this week.
Ladies' Dongola Shoes, latest shapes, still going at.....98c a pair
Men's Working Shoes, heavy and light at lowest prics. Men's Seamless Shoes, never ripped Satin Calf, at.....$1.50 a pair

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SHOE DEP'T.

Just received a big shipment of Men's Union Made Shoe, made in all the new styles and kinds of Leather, Goodyear welts, hand sewed proses, heavy extension or light soles, made in the new Blucher style. Gentlemen you must see these shoes to appreciate the great value we are offering you at this low special price, and such high grade footwear, this week and our $3.50 grade of this glot goat $2.95 a pair.

Our $3.00 Hand sewed Goodyear welt shoe in all the new kinds of leather and newest Fall styles, this week special sale price. $2.69 pair

Ladies' we are sole agents in Dixon for the famous Queen Quality Shoes, acknowledged by all the best judges of Ladies Footwear to be the greatest $3.00 shoe in the world. Will be pleased to show them to you. Call and see them. No trouble to show goods. We will not ask you to buy until you are ready.

DRY GOODS DEPARTMENT.

We still have a few warm weather goods left which we are willing to sell at 25 cents on the dollar. To make this clear, an article that sold originally at 50c each can be bought now for 12½c. We have set aside one table for the disposal of these goods' which include a few Wash Goods, Shirt Waists, Dress Skirts, Infants' Caps, Silk Parasols, Wash Suits and Sunbonnets. As there is only a limited quantity of each of these items, we will advise you to hurry.

Ladies 5c Unbleached Jersey Vests, 2 for..5c
Large Satin Palm Leaf Fans, 2 for.....5c
Mosquito Net.....3c per yard

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Ladies' All Wool Serge, Tailor made Suits, Navy Blue and Black, special price during the Carnival.....$4 95 each
Ladies' All-Wool Cheviot, Tailor-made Suits, Oxford and Light Grey, Navy Blue and Black, special this week at.....$6.75 each
New Walking Skirts at.....$2.98 each

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Steak 3 lb for.....25c
Balogna 2 lb for.....15c
Trype.....5c
Corn Beef.....5½c
Boiling.....5½c
Beef Roast.....8½c
Mutton Stew.....6c
Leg Lamb.....14c

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a good fairy to all youngsters.

Sweet, crisp flakes of wheat and malt—eaten cold.

Jim Dumps a little girl possessed
Whom loss of appetite distressed.
"I des tan't eat!" the child would scream.
Jim fixed a dish of "Force" with cream;
She tasted it, then, joy for him!
She begged for more from "Sunny Jim."

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"Wheat is a perfect summer cereal, and efforts should be made to teach children to eat it."—LOUISE E. HOGAN, in "How to Feed Children."

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$20.00, Ogden and Salt Lake.
$20.00, Butte and Helena.
$22.50, Spokane.
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National Creamery B. M.'s Association, Milwaukee, October 20-24.
Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Boston, Mass., October 9-12.
American Royal Cattle Show, Kansas City, Mo., October 20-25.
National Convention Christian Church, Omaha, October 16-23.
National Encampment G. A. R., Washington, D. C., October 6-11.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions call upon the ticket agent of the North-Western Line.

Coming Events

Sept. 22-27—Elks Carnival in Dixon
Sept. 24—Illinois League Republican Club Convention at Peoria.
Sept. 29-Oct. 4—State Fair at Springfield.
Oct. 14—Marquette Club Party.
Oct. 16-19—Y. M. C. A. State Convention at Kankakee.
Oct. 24—Boston Ladies' Symphony Orchestra; Y. M. C. A. course at Dixon Opera House.
Oct. 30, 31, Nov. 1—Northern Illinois Teachers' meeting at Joliet.

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Vice-President of Women's Democratic Clubs of Northern Ohio.

THERE ARE MANY sickly women between the ages of 45 and 55, but there are very few invalids over 55 and 60 years of age. The change of life coming to a woman near her forty-fourth year, either makes her an invalid or gives her a new lease on life. Those who meet this change in ill health seldom live ten years afterward, while a woman who lays aside the active duties of womanhood in health seldom fails to live on in happiness, years after she has passed 60. This is truly a critical time.

Mrs. Laura S. Webb.

Mrs. Laura S. Webb, of Toledo, Ohio, recognizes the change of life as a dangerous period and she also has faith in Wine of Cardui. She writes:

"As I had always been troubled more or less at the menstrual period, I dreaded the change of life which was fast approaching. While visiting with a friend I noticed that she was taking your Wine of Cardui, and she was so enthusiastic about it that I decided to try a bottle. I experienced some relief the first month, so I kept on taking it for three months and now I menstruate with no pain and I shall take it off and on now until I have passed the climax. I do not dread it now, as I am sure that your Wine of Cardui will be of great benefit at this time."

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SOME REPUBLICAN OPINIONS.

"It is impossible to point to a single monopoly that has been created or fostered by the industrial system which is upheld by the Republican party."—From Hon. James G. Blaine's Letter of Acceptance.

"It is not true that as the rich have grown richer the poor have grown poorer. On the contrary, never before has the average man, the wage-worker, the farmer, the small trader, been so well off as in this country and at the present time!"—President Roosevelt, in message to Congress, December 3, 1901.

"It is universally conceded that combinations which engross or control the market of any particular kind of merchandise or commodity necessary to the general community, by suppression of natural and ordinary competition, whereby prices are unduly enhanced to the general consumer, are obnoxious not only to the common law but also to the public welfare. There must be a remedy for the evils involved in such organization. If the present law can be extended more certainly to control or check these monopolies or trusts, it should be done without delay. Whatever power Congress possesses over this most important subject should be promptly ascertained and asserted."—President McKinley in Recommendations to the Fifty-Sixth Congress.

The Republican Position.

The text-books issued by the Republican congressional committee present clearly the attitude of the party on all important political issues. They possess something of the authority and dignity of a national platform. The book for 1902 is just out. It reviews the record of the Republican party from its beginning to the present time. A considerable part is devoted to trusts and a better statement, for brevity and force, of the relative position of the two great parties on this question has no where been given. The statement is:

"That of the Democratic party looks to construct agitation, with no restrictive legislation; that of the Republican party to such restriction as will prevent arbitrary advance in prices or reduction in wages through exclusive control, but not the destruction by legislation or injury by fictitious agitation of legitimate enterprise, through great manufacturing systems by which production is cheapened, prices of manufactures reduced and permanency of employment assured."

The Democrats have set up a great hue and cry about the trusts, but no one can put his finger on any positive act that they have done at Washington to remedy the situation. Their record on the trust question is undeniably a negative one. They have opposed all efforts to enact laws that will regulate and restrict the operations of trusts. They are a notorious set of "do nothings." They stand in the valley and clamor, chiefly at the Republican party, casting ridicule at what they cannot cry down by sheer force of lung.

The policy of the Republicans is active, progressive; it means something. It means that great industries are to live, that goods are to be made more cheaply and prices to be lowered, that the laboring man is to have living wages and steady employment. Moreover, it means that the United States is to maintain its position in the world as a great power, and is to lose none of the prestige that has come to it through the operation of Republican principles.

Lesson of Labor Day.

The Peoria Journal finds in the recent Labor Day observance a lesson to which it is well that the laboring people of the country should give attention. While it is to be regretted that at this time there is a formidable strike going on—that of the anthracite coal miners—yet, notwithstanding this, the fact is that there have been few, if any, times since Labor Day was instituted as one of the holidays of the country, that laboring men were more generally employed than they are now. There are no closed manufactories, there are no Coxey armies, and there are no starving women and children in this country. It has not been necessary even in the region where the strike is going on to start any soup houses to prevent the people from starving to death. We have but to look back a few years to remember the reverse of the conditions as they now obtain. Take the miners and the miners' families, even in the region where the strike is in progress. There is every reason to believe that these are faring better now, while out of work, than were those who were employed in that dreadful time. They are not living on the fat of the land, but they have good, substantial food and plenty of it. No one who will really work goes to bed at night with a dreadful feeling of uncertainty as to where his next meal is coming from. Thinking men—and there is a multitude of that class among the laborers of the country—might well ask themselves as they were marching on Labor Day, to what good circumstances they are indebted that they are not in the same situation that they were a few years ago, when men fought like beasts of prey to get their share of the charity that was doled out to them. And that man who thinks will not be lightly persuaded to run the risk of bringing back those dark days that tried men's souls. They will be far more inclined to "let well enough alone."

There are many kinds of Democrats, but the latest definition given out for a genuine simon-pure Democrat is a man who is against things.—Nashville Journal.

PRESIDENT IS LAID UP

Effects of His Accident at Pittsfield, Mass., Show Themselves at Indianapolis.

NOW EN ROUTE TO WASHINGTON

Where He Will Be Kept Quiet for Ten Days with a Sore Leg.

SUBMITS TO A SLIGHT OPERATION

Abscess Forms in His Leg Below the Knee and Puts a Sudden Stop to His Tour of the Northwest.

Indianapolis, Sept. 24. — President Roosevelt yesterday afternoon was forced to abandon the remainder of his trip to the northwest, and to undergo a surgical operation. The accident which befell him at Pittsfield, Mass., when a trolley car crashed into his carriage, is responsible for the sudden ending of the president's trip and his being compelled to undergo the operation. In that accident his knee was badly bruised, and an abscess formed which gave him some trouble, but not enough at first to interfere with his plans. The hardships of his present trip, however, aggravated the trouble, and Dr. Lung, his official physician, together with Dr. Richardson, who accompanied him on the trip, thought it advisable yesterday to consult other doctors.

Operation Decided Upon.

Accordingly Doctors Oliver and Cook were called to the Columbia club, where the president was to be entertained at luncheon. They decided that an operation was necessary, and that it should be performed at once. This decision was arrived at before luncheon, but was not allowed to interfere with that meal. At the conclusion of the luncheon Secretary Cortelyou issued the following statement to the press:

Secretary Cortelyou's Statement.

"Indianapolis, Sept. 23, 3 p. m.—As a result of the trolley accident at Pittsfield, Mass., the president received several serious bruises. One of these on the left leg between the knee and the ankle has developed into a small abscess. The president is entirely well otherwise, and has continued to meet the several engagements of his itinerary, but in view of the continuance of the abscess, and out of an abundance of caution, Drs. Oliver and Cook, of Indianapolis, were requested to meet Dr. Lung, the president's surgeon, at Indianapolis, Dr. Richardson, of Washington, D. C., being also one of the number.

Operation Ends the Tour.

"In the opinoin of the doctors the trouble necessitates an operation which they think should be performed at once at St. Vincent's hospital, in this city. As after the operation the president will require entire rest — probably for at least ten days or two weeks—it has been necessary to cancel all the remaining engagements of his trip and he will go directly from Indianapolis to Washington this evening. The physicians say that the case is not in any way serious and that there is no danger whatever. This statement is made so that no false rumors may disturb the people and that they may be authoritatively advised of the exact nature of the case.

"GEORGE B. CORTELYOU,"
"Secretary to the President."

THUNDER OUT OF A CLEAR SKY

Way the Announcement Struck the People—Operation Performed.

The announcement was as a thunder clap out of a clear sky. The president is in such good health otherwise that it was hard to believe he was about to submit to an operation. He had delivered an address earlier in the day before the Spanish-American war veterans, and also had addressed the citizens of Indianapolis from the balcony of the Columbia club. He was the picture of health, and many comments were made during the early part of the trip upon how well he looked. It was noticed, however, that he walked with a slight limp.

The president was driven from the club house to St. Vincent hospital, where he was taken to a private operating room. He was accompanied by Secretary Cortelyou, Assistant Secretaries Loeb and Barnes, Governor Durbin and Senators Beveridge and Fairbanks. It was about 4:15 p. m. when the doctors began the operation. It was performed by Dr. John Oliver, assisted by Dr. Henry Jameson and Dr. Cook. The operation was finished and the president was removed to his room. He did not take anesthetics. The hostital is guarded by a detachment of twenty soldiers, all of whom served in the Spanish-American war, under command of Colonel Russell B. Harrison.

Colonel Harrison was instructed to arrange with the Sisters in charge of the hospital that no information as to the president should be given out by telephone. All news is to come through Secretary Cortelyou. As the news spread throughout the city the telephone was kept busy, but the same answer was returned to all that nothing could be told over the telephone. The operation was a slight one. The president was not under the influence of ether and remained in good spirits while it was being performed. After the operation the president was placed in bed, and the following official statement issued:

"At 3:15 p. m. the president went from the Columbia club to St. Vincent hospital in his own carriage and shortly after he was in the hospital the operation required was performed. At the conclusion of the operation the physicians authorized the following statement: 'As a result of the traumalism [bruise] received in the trolley accident at Pittsfield, Mass., there was found to be a circumscribed collection of perfectly pure serum in the middle third of the left anterior tibial region, the sac containing about two ounces, which was removed.' The indications are that the president should make speedy recovery. It is absolutely imperative, however, that he should remain quiet and refrain from using the leg. The trouble is not serious, but temporarily disabling.

"GEORGE B. CORTELYOU,
"Secretary to the President."

ON THE OPERATING TABLE

President Has His Joke as He Lays Down—Pain Made Him Wince.

The president walked to the operating table alone, and as he laid down he remarked with a smile: "Gentlemen, you are formal. I see you have your gloves on." This was a reference to the anti-septic gloves of the surgeons.

"Mr. President," said a surgeon, with a smile, "it is always in order to wear gloves at a president's reception." This caused the president to exclaim: "Good, well said." The operation than began.

The pain caused the president to mutter several times in a low voice, but he said nothing that was distinct except to ask for a glass of water. After the operation was over he made several laughing remarks concerning trivial matters, and asked if he would be allowed to use his leg long enough to walk upstairs himself.

"You will be hauled upstairs in a wheeled ambulance," said a surgeon.

When they brought the vehicle in the president said: "Why, that's a wheelbarrow."

After being taken to the upper room from the operating room the president was served with a light luncheon and chatted pleasantly to those in the room. The leg had been troublesome for several days, but the president hoped to be able to get through his tour before having anything done, but en route from Detroit the pain became so intense that the doctors determined that the matter must be taken in hand at once to prevent blood-poisoning. The swelling was as large as a man's hand and as thick.

At 7:45 p. m. yesterday the president was carried on a stretcher from St. Vincent's hospital to his car, and the train left a few minutes later for Washington.

HIS RECEPTION IN INDIANA

Enthusiastic Everywhere, but an Ovation at the State Capital.

Indianapolis, Sept. 24.—President Roosevelt was accorded a reception by the people of Indianapolis yesterday that was sincere, enthusiastic and entirely lacking in partisan bias. Men of all political faiths united with one accord in doing honor to the nation's chief executive and in extending to him a welcome such as only the people of Indiana's capital city know how to offer.

For miles along the line of march thousands of people massed the sidewalks and waited patiently for the passing of the presidential party. The entire line of the parade was roped off and at intervals local bluecoats. President Roosevelt was met at the station by Governor Durbin, who was accompanied by Mayor Bookwalter, Senator Fairbanks and nearly thirty members of the reception committee, the personnel of which included many of the most prominent citizens of Indianapolis. The escort consisted of a squad of mounted police, a battalion of the Second regiment, Indian National Guard, and the members of the Indianapolis Light artillery.

The line of the parade was banked with people. Women predominated, and in response to continuous applause the president lifted his silk hat time and again. En route here at every stopping place or place he passed there were large crowds of cheering people.

MRS. ROOSEVELT HEARS THE NEWS

Decides to Go to Washington and Meet Her Husband.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The first news of the indisposition of President Roosevelt bulletined here came as a rumor from New York. Shortly afterward the president's office in the bank building received the statement of Secretary Cortelyou by wire and at the same time a telegram was received for Mrs. Roosevelt. She was absent from home at the time and did not return until almost dark. The message assured her there was nothing alarming about the operation.

Mrs. Roosevelt was later kept informed as to her husband's condition. When Mrs. Roosevelt received word that the president had left Indianapolis for Washington she definitely decided to go to Washington today. She took her daughter Ethel and her youngest boy Quinton with her.

London, Sept. 24. — The London newspapers publish long and detailed reports of the operation on President Roosevelt. They express considerable surprise at the unexpectedness of the operation, as well as sympathy for the president.

On the Base Ball Field.

Chicago, Sept. 24. — Following are the scores recorded at base ball yesterday:

League: At New York—Boston 2, New York 1; at Brooklyn — Philadelphia 3, Brooklyn 1.

American: At Washington—Boston 14, Washington 1; at Cleveland—Detroit 5, Cleveland 0; at Philadelphia—Baltimore 3, Philadelphia 4.

Jay Cooke Suddenly Ill.

Toledo, O., Sept. 24.—Jay Cooke, the Philadelphia financier who is at his summer home at Gibraltar, near Put-In-Bay, suffered an attack of passive congestion of the brain yesterday. Medical assistance was summoned and his condition is improved.

How Root Came Down to Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Sept. 24.—Secretary of War Root arrived in this city Monday, but the newspapers and hotels did not know it until yesterday afternoon, when it developed that the secretary had been inspecting the different sites offered in the neighborhood of this city for army posts.

Epworth League Hotel.

St. Louis, Sept. 24.—The Methodist Episcopal Epworth League Union, of this city, has definitely decided to build a 500-room hotel in the vicinity of the World's fair. The building will be known as the Epworth League hotel.

Belleville to Have Glass Works.

Belleville, Ills., Sept. 24.—The Belleville Commercial club closed a deal Monday with the Post Glass works, of Muncie, Ind., for the immediate removal of its plant to this city.

ELDORADO'S CRUSADE

Against a People Who Make One-Fourth of the County's Population.

MILITARY ARE TO BE KEPT THERE

Citizens Asked to Stay Home Nights—Chicago's Tax Skullduggery—State News Notes.

Springfield, Ills., Sept. 24.—Adjutant General Smith, who has been in Eldorado the past few days investigating the race situation there, reported yesterday to Governor Yates. He says that the negroes number about 14 per cent. of the population of Saline county. Those in and around Eldorado appear to be very peaceable and progressive, though there are some bad characters, of course. Some fifty negro families have left Eldorado and vincinity, owing to race troubles, most of them being residents of the town, though a few are owners of improved farms. Quite a number of negroes still remain, however. How the trouble originated he has been unable to find out.

Would Keep the Soldiers There.

He recommends retention of entire Company E, Fourth infantry, I. N. G., of Mattoon, Captain Rudy commanding, for the present. This has doubled the number of detachments of the Mt. Vernon company, which it supercedes. The troops were encamped in tents when General Smith arrived, but he secured a warehouse as barracks. The negro industrial school will not be reopened, and is now leased to a white man for its former use as a farm house. Conflicts between the troops and white citizens are almost of nightly occurrence. The whites attacked the warehouse Sunday night and the troops in returning the fire killed a valuable mule.

Curfew Idea at Eldorado.

Eldorado, Ills., Sept. 24.—The situation in the race war here is so critical that a request has been made by the commander of the troops that all citizens remain in their homes after dark until the acute stage of the trouble is past. The order to the troops to shoot to kill, which was issued prior to the departure of Captain Satterfield, is still in force. The militia since the two attacks on the Bean home have become more vigilant.

Rumor of Another Attack.

Rumors are current that another attack is planned and that a desperate attempt will be made by the lawless element to drive the Bean family out of town. It has been openly stated that the presence of the colored race in Eldorado must cease with the departure of Bean and his family.

CHICAGO'S TAX FRAUD CASE

Accused Man Says the Fraud Is in the County Treasurer's Office.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—The tax fraud investigation took a most unexpected and sensational turn yesterday and resulted in the appearance of Captain Edward Williams before the grand jury. He told the grand jurors that he paid $26,000 in tax money to the county treasurer's office, and received in return a bogus tax receipt. He charged certain of the clerks with forgery, and demanded that the grand jury begin the investigation over again, from another standpoint.

This unlooked-for shift in the tax fraud matters came about through a warm session in Judge Chetlain's court in which Attorney Charles S. Thornton, State's Attorney Deneen, and Assistant State's Attorney Barnes played the leading roles. The outcome of the proceedings before Judge Chetlain was a challenge by State's Attorney Deneen for Thornton to go before the grand jury again and tell what he knew about the county treasurer's office. The lawyer took the challenge, and entered the grand jury room, remaining until noon. Later Captain Williams went before the grand jury.

Will Describe His Cure.

Carbondale, Ills., Sept. 24.—Professor George H. French, of the southern Normal university in this city, known as the discoverer of the parasite that in many cases leads to epilepsy, has consented to deliver an address on his discovery before the Southern Illinois Medical association, which will meet at Centralia. He will describe a case of epilepsy of thirty-five years' standing in which a cure was effected through his discovery, giving also the treatment.

Solves the Mystery of a Death.

Springfield, Ills., Sept. 24.—The mystery surrounding the killing of Eugene Miller, who was found in a dying condition in an alley Sunday morning, and who not only denied that he was shot, but also refused to reveal the name of his slayer, has been solved. William Paul Caldwell, alias Paul Langford, a negro boy not 17 years of age, has been arrested and has confessed the crime. He says the shooting was accidental.

Death of Judge Hoaner.

Belleville, Ills., Sept. 24.—Judge Henry H. Horner, former circuit judge of this district, and the oldest and one of the widest known lawyers in southern Illinois, died suddenly Monday at his home in Lebanon, aged 84 years.

Van Zant for Congress.

Effingham, Ills., Sept. 24.—The Republican congressional convention of this, the Twenty-third district, was held here yesterday and H. G. Van Vandt, of this county, was unanimously nominated.

Arcola's New Theater.

Arcola, Ills., Sept. 24.—Arcola's new $55,000 theater was formally opened by Walker Whiteside and his company Monday night. The theater seats 1,000.

Green Hazelnuts Are Deadly.

Carthage, Ills., Sept. 24.—A 10-year-old daughter of C. N. Martin died yesterday after a few hours' volent illness from eating green hazelnuts.

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When calling for the above please say advertised.

B. F. SHAW, Postmaster.

Saves His Cousin's Life.

Patsie Murray, first mate on the life-saving crew at Evanston, saved a woman from drowning Monday, and later found that she was his cousin whom he had never met, Miss May D. Hay of Warren, Ill.

While visiting his cousin, Miss Theresa Sullivan of Dixon, Miss May first learned of her cousin. She was finally persuaded to go to Evanston to visit him.

Miss Hay arrived at Evanston early in the morning and went to the life saving station to find Murray. While waiting for him to arrive to the station she walked out to the end of the pier and stood watching the boats. She suddenly became dizzy and toppled over into the water.

As Miss Hay fell she screamed. Her cousin had just arrived. He was attracted by the cry and rushed to the rescue.

It needs only the intervention of the little god of the bow and arrow to make this affair into a pretty romance.

Killed by a Freight Train.

Late Monday afternoon Caleb Sweet, an old soldier who was very deaf, started to walk from Polo io Milledgeville and when a mile least of Hazelhurst he was looking for the 5:56 passenger coming from the west and consequently paid no attention to a train coming up behind him. A wild freight was running at a lively rate to meet the passenger at Hazelhurst, when it struck him instantly. The freight took him to Hazelhurst and the passenger brought him back to Polo. Undertaker Peter Bracken was given charge of the remains which were brought to the room lately occupied by Wm. T. Smith. Coroner W. W. Haines of Mt. Morris, came down Tuesday morning and is holding an inquest as we go to press.

Caleb Sweet served through the late rebellion in Company I, 142 Illinois Infantry. He leaves no family but has relatives in this city and vicinity.—Polo Semi-Weekly Visitor.

Poisoned With Paris Green.

Sterling Standard: Howard the young son of Robert Little of the First ward was poisoned last Friday with Paris green. He was taken ill afterward but his condition improving, it was thought that he would recover. Monday night however he was taken worse and became unconscious and was in that condition at noon today.

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roses and lillies of the valley. The maid of honor wore a gown of white silk mull and carried pink roses. During the congratulations which followed the ceremony Mr. Krinbill played the Lohengren wedding march.

Following the congratulations a wedding breakfast was served. At a large table in the dining room, where the decorations were again white and green, were seated the bridal party, their parents, the ministers and their wives and they were served by Miss Emma Beckmire. In the other rooms smaller tables were spread for the guests and each table was distinguished by flowers of a different variety. The young ladies serving at these tables were Misses Bess Todd, Amy Keyes, Myrtle Judd, Marie Krinbill and Daisy Yates. The refreshments were served in courses.

In place of the ring in the bride's cake the bride tied a little silver heart to one of the roses in her boquet and each young lady drew a rose. The fate of the young lady drawing the heart is surely sealed for this heart was drawn by the present bride at a shower given last spring for the young lady who is now Mrs. W. S. Block.

Amidst showers of rice and congratulations Mr. and Mrs. Newcomer took the 3:50 train for the East and will spend about three weeks visiting Washington, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, New York, Niagara Falls and other places and also relatives of the groom in the East. They will be at home after December 1st at 518 Second street.

Only words of highest commendation can be said of these young people. The bride has lived in Dixon for twelve or fifteen years and those who are fortunate in being counted her friends know her only to love her for her many good qualities and kindness of heart. Mr. Newcomer came to Dixon from Leaf River about five years ago to enter the realestate office of Loveland & Stiteley and his aptitude and business ability found him in a little over three years a partner in the present firm of F. E. Stiteley Co. He is much admired for his social and manly qualities. THE TELEGRAPH extends hearty congratulations to both.

Visiting Guests.

The guests from out of town in attendance at the wedding were: Miss Clementine Walgren and Miss Frances E. Romer of Denver; Albert M. Newcomer of Leaf River; Rev. and Mrs. F. X. Miller of Cedar Falls, Ia., Mrs. Robert Humphrey, Willimet, Ill.

LITTLE MINNIE,

The Australian Wild Girl Takes the Lead.

Wild Minnie was placed on exhibition for the first time in Dixon at the corner of First street and Galena avenue on a large elevated platform.

The space around the platform was crowded from the time the carriage brought the strange little human being to the place and over a hundred people had the opportunity of seeing the fight between the wild girl and the jailor, who is her keeper, before she was placed in the pit where she is confined.

When all was quiet, there was a rush of people to see this strange creature, and after it was found that there was no danger the people just simply could not be kept back.

It was wonderful to see what a fascination this strange atom of humanity had over them and the stream of eager sightseers was constant while the doors were keep open.

The Wild Girl is certainly the drawing card of the great exhibition and will well repay anyone for a visit to see her.

Ladies are especially invited to visit this exhibition.

Farmers Are Not Arrested.

The impression has gone out in certain quarters that the farmers who visit our city during this Carnival week, are aarested by the Elks' sham police force and filched, after a mock trial, in various sums. This is entirely erronious. The arrests, which have been made in fun, have been confined to members of the Elks' own organization, or friends with whom they are thoroughly well acquainted, and whom they know would enter into the spirit of the joke, even at the cost of a half dollar.

Farm Sold.

D. M. Fahrney has closed a sale for Jerome F. Cox, being his farm of 196 acres in Grand Detour township. Chas. T. Lambert is the buyer: consideration $12,840.

—Rev. Walter J. Sparks, for five years pastor of the Baptist church, Stillman Valley, this state, and who is well known to the Baptists of Dixon, has accepted an enthusiastic call to the pastorate of the Baptist church, Shenandoah, Iowa, where he will commence his labors on the third Sunday in October. The church has a membership of 400, and the outlook for a good work is very bright.

THIS IS A DAY OF WEDDINGS.

Green-Lowery Nuptials at 10 O'clock; Mechem-Rosbrook at 11 O'clock; Other Wedding.

An old adage has it that of all days of the week Wednesday is the best day for weddings and several of the young people of Dixon have not only taken this adage to heart but seem to think that of all the weeks of glorious Autumn this is the week. Three weddings occurred within the city before the noon hour had passed; one was at 10, another at 11 and a third at 12 o'clock. Two of the wedding parties met at the Northwestern station this afternoon; one bound for the west and the other east bound.

Married at Catholic Church.

Miss Sarah Isabell Green, daughter of Mr. Patrick Green who lives in the country east of Dixon, and John E. Lowery, also living east of Dixon, were married at 10 o'clock this morning at St. Patrick's church by the Rev. Father Foley. James Lowery and Miss Isabell Duffy acted as groomsman and bridesmaid. The bride's dress was of white silk mull over silk and she carried a cluster of white carnations. The bridesmaid's dress was made of white silk mull and she carried pink carnations.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride where a large number of friends met to congratulate. A wedding dinner was served. Both young people are very popular with their circle of acquaintances and they have the best wishes of their many friends.

They left at 3.45 in the afternoon for an extended trip through Iowa and in Colorado and will be at home to their friends after October 30 at 1121 Spruce street.

A Pretty Home Wedding.

The Mechem-Rosbrook nuptials occurred this morning at eleven o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Rhoda Mechem, 802 West First street, when her daughter, Mary A., was united in marriage to L. R. Rosbrook of Oskaloosa, Iowa.

Only the immediate friends of the contracting parties were present, Rev. Phillips of the M. E church officiating. The house was tastefully decorated with pink and white astors.

Mrs. Rosbrook has made her home in Dixon for a number of years. She is a member of the Methodist church and a lady of lovable personality. Her brother, J. L. Mechem, is manager of the M. C. Storage Warehouse, Chicago. Mr. Rosbrook is an influential business man in the city in which he lives, as well as in the whole state, being vice-president of the Iowa Coal Operators' association. He is also vice president and treasurer of the Miller Creek Coal Co., of Coalfield, Iowa, and has full charge of the property. He is a "Dixon boy," so to speak, having attended his first school in this city when taught by Mr. Gow. Mrs. A. G. Ackert of this city is his sister.

Immediately following the ceremony the party repaired to the European Hotel where a wedding breakfast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Rosbrook left Dixon on the 1:42 C. & N. W. train for Chicago and points east and north. They will be at home after November 1st, at 711 North Second street, Oskaloosa, Ia.

Married at Clinton, Iowa.

Miss Hattie Cook of this city and Fred Leonard of Lockport, N. Y., were Monday morning at 10 o'clock united in marriage at Clinton, Ia., by Rev. W. W. Russell of the colored Baptist church. They returned to this city and will reside at the home of the bride's mother on Highland avenue. The bride has a large acquaintance of friends all of whom extend their sincere congratulations.

WAS A HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.

Amboy Girl Caught in a Hay Fork and Badly Hurt.

While helping her father to unload hay, Miss Anna Fye of Amboy got her hand caught in the rope of the hay fork and was carried twenty feet into the air. Her screams attracted the attention of her father who backed the team and let her down to the ground. The flesh on two of her fingers was stripped from the bone. Dr. Murphy dressed the wound but found no bones broken but it will be several weeks before she can use her hand.

The Roman Coliseum.

The ladies' athletic exhibition at the corner of East First street and Ottawa avenue is one of the most interesting and entertaining shows of the carnival. On the opening night a large and appreciative audience was in attendance. The young ladies and gentlemen of our city interested in physical culture will enjoy this show. There are seven young ladies that give exhibitions of boxing, fencing, club swinging, etc.

—The ladies of Prairieville will give a supper this evening in the Prairieville church. The proceeds will be used for the cemetery improvement.

VISIT

Our new Cloak, Tailor-made Suit and Skirt room. You will find here a big assortment of the Celebrated Printz Berderman & Co. up to date ready-made goods for ladies. These garments are without a fault.

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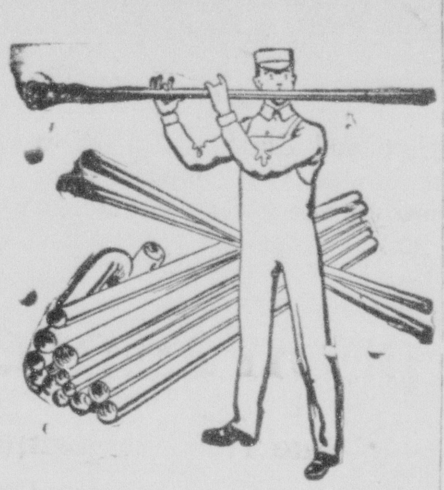

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THE WEATHER

Weather Indications

CHICAGO, Ill., SEPT 24 9:50 a. m. The following are the weather indications for Northern Illinois:
Rain tonight and probably Thursday. Cooler in south portion.

Temperature and Precipitation.

For the week commencing Aug. 17, 1902

	Max.	Min.	Precp
Sunday	—	—	.—
Monday	—	—	.—
Tuesday	—	—	.—
Wednesday	—	—	.—
Thursday	—	—	.—
Friday	—	—	.—
Saturday	—	—	.—

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN

EAST BOUND	WEST BOUND
No. 8.......3.25 a. m *	No. 1.......10.23 p. m.*
No. 6......4.23 a. m. *	No. 7.......3.45 p. m *
No. 16......5.58 a. m. *	No. 11......8.48 p. m *
No. 2 ......6.37 a. m *	No. 3. ...2.37 a. m +
No. 18 .....7.19 a. m +	No. 17......6.44 p. m +
No. 20......10.22 a. m +	No. 13.....10.17 a. m +
No. 12 ...1.42 p. m *	No. 5......12.22 p. m *
No. 14......3.50 p. m +	No. 25......9.28 p. m *
No. 28......5.15 p. m ¶	
No. 4.......7.13 p. m *	

FREIGHT TRAINS CARRING PASSENGERS

TRAINS GOING EAST	TRAINS GOING WEST
No. 134.....8.45 a. m +	No. 121...11.15 a. m. ¶
No. 114.....7.20 p. m +	

*—Daily. +—Daily except Sunday
¶—Sunday only

TRAINS CARRING MAIL—EAST BOUND

No 10—Atlantic Express, mail
No. 18—Sterling Passenger. mail
No. 20—Cedar Rapids Passenger, mail
No. —4 Colorado Special, mail

WEST BOUND

No. 25—Overland Flyer through mail
No. 5—Colorado Special, mail
No 17—Sterling Passenger, mail.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

TRAINS GOING SOUTH	TRAINS GOING NORTH
Centralia P..3.35 a.m	Dubuque P..9.45 p.m
Through...10.52 a. m	*Through....5.18 p.m
Decatur.....4.06 p. m	Freeport....9.37 a.m
Freight......10.30 a m	Freight......2.10 p. m
	* Daily

MAILS CLOSE

EAST	WEST
6:55 a. m.	12 noon
10:00 a. m.	6:25 p. m.
6:45 p. m.	9:00 p. m.
9:00 p. m	

NORTH	SOUTH
9:20 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
4:50 p. m.	3:50 p. m.
6:00 p.m.	9:00 p. m.

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An Extract from the News Columns of the Booster's Nightmare.

You reporter visited the animal arena yesterday and while there had a thrilling escape from death. The man eating lion, Wallace, had just been turned into the arena. Wishing to get a good look at this world renowned animal I stepped close to the steel cage, not noticing the extreme length of his limbs. Without warning the monster reached out through the bars fastening his claws into my right arm. In a twinkling I was drawn to the bars where the animal endeavored with all his strength to pull me between two bars. Gradually the bars were forced apart until my head and shoulders were drawn into the cage. With a horrible roar Wallace drew his head back preparatory to sinking his fangs into my senseless form when with a mighty shout my wife woke me up. More nightmare.

North Side Burglary.

The North Sike grocery store of C. H. Stackpole was broken into sometime during the night of Tuesday. The thieves, however, were content with stealing 150 cigars and a lot of chewing gum.

They tried to effect an entrance throught the transom over the front door, but failing in this cut out a panel in the back door.

It is supposed that they went west, as peanuts, etc., which they probably dropped, were found on the sidewalk this morning.

No clue has been found, but it is supposed it was local talent.

The G. W. Hill grocery store on North Galena avenue was also entered last evening, presumably by boys as all that was taken was some candy, gum, peanuts, bananas and cigars. They feasted upon their plunder on the back steps of the store where peanut shucks and banana peels were found this morning.

A Girl Horse Thief.

The Freeport police have reported to the police and the sheriff's office that a young girl, Miss Voss, aged 16 or 18 years, of Freeport, had stolen a horse and buggy from that city at 1 o'clock on Monday and that neither the vehicle nor the girl had been found. The horse is described as being a brown animal, with a white streak on its forehead and a barb-wire cut on the left hind leg, while the buggy was painted black and had rubber tires. The girl and rig were found by the sheriff Tuesday at the home of her grandparents near New Dublin. She claimed that she had no intention of stealing the rig, having hired it at Hayman's livery stable and would have sent it back. As she had stolen $15 from her employer, however, she was by the sheriff lodged in jail to await trial.

Stores Will Remain Open.

It is the request of the Retail Clerk's association that the merchants of the city keep their stores open during the continuation of the Elks Corn Festival. The crowds that are in the city have no place to go if the rain continues and in justice to the local lodge of Elks we think this would be advisable. Signed,
JOHN DEVLIN, Pres.
FRANK CARNEY, Sec.

Licensed to Marry.

The following licenses issued by County Clerk Thompson.

Name	Town	Age
Chas. Johnson,	Dixon	25
Grace E. Major,	"	20
Francis X. Newcomer,	Dixon	28
Esther M. Walgren	"	25
Lucius R. Rosbrook,	Iowa	54
Mary A. Mechem,	Dixon	40

Court Adjourned.

The Lee County Circuit court adjourned this afternoon to Monday forenoon.

—Walter Dutcher returned from a business trip to Compton.

—J. Coleman of Sterling was calling on Dixon friends last evening.

—Advertisements changed this evening: The Keyes Furnitune Rooms; E. S. Miller.

—Mr. and Mrs. William McClannahan in Nachusa township, became the parents of a fine ten-and-a-half pound boy last Sunday.

—The ladies of Grace Evangelical church are seaving meals during the Carnival week in the store room north of Miss Geisenheimer's store. Convenient for busy people.

—Hon. N. G. Kittrell of Houston, Texas, and Geo. M. McKenney and Fred C. Pickert, emigration agents for the Southern Pacific Ry. Co., arrived in Dixon this noon and are being entertained by G. H. T. Shaw.

Riot at the Coal Mines.

Special to THE TELEGRAPH:

LEBANON, Pa., Sept. 24—An ugly scene prevails here. The soldiers sent here last night are on duty and have pitched tents, apparently for a long stay. No move has been made to send the colored iron workers away. In the darkness early this morning a battle between the mob the men inside of the mill took place and several were shot, though none fatally. The soldies stopped the affray and made a great many arrests.

AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION.

TODAY'S GRAIN REPORT.

Furnished by the Weare Commission Co., Union Block, Dixon.

CHICAGO, Ill., Sept. 24, 1902

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept	80-79¾	82½	78	80
Dec	69½-⅝	69½-	69	69⅝-a
May.....	70¼-½	70½	70	70⅛-
Corn—				
Sept.....	61-60⅝	62¼	60⅝	62¼
Dec	45⅛-44⅞	46	44⅞	45½-b
May......	41¼-41	41½	40⅞	41¼b
Oats—				
Sept new..	33⅛	33⅜	33	33
Dec new..	30⅝-	31⅝	30⅝	31⅛
May......	31¼-½	31⅞	31¼	31⅝
Pork—				
Jan	15.27	15.40	15.15	15.35
May ...	14.37-40	14.40	14.22	14.37
Lard—				
Jan.....	8.67	8.80	8.65	8.77
May....	8.12	8.17	8.15	8.17
Ribs—				
Jan.....	8.05	8.15	8.02	8.15
May....	7.75	7.80	7.70	7.80

Cash Grain.

Oats—
No. 2—29
No. 2 w 34 a 35
No. 3—27½ a 28
No 3 w 30 a 33
No 4 w 27 a 29
Standard 33½ a 35

Corn—
No. 2 62 a ½
No 2 w 62 a ¼
No. 2 y 62 a ½
No 3 59 a ½
No. 3 y 59¾ a 60

Wheat—
No. 2 r 79 a 81
No. 3 r 64 a 73
No. 2 h w 69½
No. 3 h w 65 a 69
No. 1 n s 79 a 81
No. 2 n s 70 a 76
No 3 s 65 a 76

Death of a Pioneer of Lee County

W. E. Trowbridge Tuesday evening received a letter from Portland, Oregon, containing news of the death of his father, Dr. L. B. Trowbridge, of that city on Tuesday, September 16th. Dr. Trowbridge, who was a brother of the late Reuben Trowbridge of this city, came from Pennsylvania and settled in this county at an early day, where he lived until 1858, when his wife died, having an infant son, William E. The doctor, some six months thereafter, joined a party to Pike's Peak in quest of gold. Most of the party came back, but Mr. Trowbridge pushed on to the Pacific coast, never returning. The most of his life since has been spent in California and Oregon, where he has amassed considerable wealth. owning an interest in five copper mines besides cattle ranches and other property. The doctor leaves other children besides W. E., who never saw his father, being but about six moths old when the doctor left for the West. Many of the old settlers of Lee county, however, will remember him and be sorry to learn of his death.

An Ingenious Politician.

Not long ago the wife of a Lee county politician asked him to lay aside politics long enough to dig the potatoes in the garden. He agreed to do it. After digging a few minutes he went into the house and said he had found a coin. He washed it off and it proved to be a silver quarter. He put it in his jeans and went back to work. Presently he went to the house again and said that he had found another coin. He washed the dirt off it. It was a silver half dollar. He put it in his jeans. "I have worked pretty hard," he said to his wife. "I guess I'll take a short nap." When he awoke he found that his wife had dug all the rest of the potatoes. But she found no coins. It then dawned upon her that she had been "worked."—Sterling Standard.

Excursion Tickets to Peoria Corn Exposition, Peoria, Ill.

Via the North-Western Line, will be sold at reduced rates October 5 to 18, inclusive, limited to return until and including October 20. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Very Low Rates to Washington, D. C.

The North-Western Line will sell excursion tickets October 2, 3, 4 and 5, with extreme return limit by extension until November 3, inclusive, on account of National G. A. R. Encampment. Stopover privileges in specified territory. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

For a choice loaf use Liberty Bell Flour. 36tf

CONCERNING LABOR —AND— HOME INDUSTRIES

NOTE—Contributions for this Department must be brief and of local significance and interest

TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LABEL DIXON ILL.

Carpenters' Union Meets.

There will be a meeting of Carpenters Union 790 tonight at 7:30. Business of importance. All are requested to be present.

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Illinois Tradesman—Let the labor movement be fully understood. It is an effort by the people to protect themselves from a combination of capital that will through the money power dominate the country Brazen effrontery in all business of public nature has stamped the seal of corruption on city and state. The people, irrespective of party, owe it to themselves to rise to the situation.

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Director Fred R. Hanlon, of the Supreme Court of Honor, who resides at Dixon, Ill., has been nominated by the Union Labor party of the Thirty-fifth Senatorial District for Representative in the next General Assembly. Mr. Hanlon is a prominent member of the Court of Honor, and prominent in the locality in which he resides. The Tradesman congratulates the Union Labor party on its selection of Mr. Hanlon and feels sure he will be elected.—Illinois Tradesman.

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Voluntary Incorporation of a Trades Union.

The agreement reached between the Wholesale Grocery Employes' Union and the wholesale grocers of Chicago represents a notable advance in the direction of an easier and more amicable adjustment of the differences that arise between employer and employes. It also marks the acceptance by a trades union of a principle which many earnest friends of labor believe must be universally accepted before unionism can have the legal status and protection occorded to other industrial combines. This is the principle of incorporation.

While the idea of incorporating trades union, is not new, it is believed that the Wholesale Grocery Employes' Union is the first union on record which agreed to become incorporated for the purpose of making an agreement with employers. After incorporation under state law this union will acquire a legal status equal to that of the corporations and firms with which it seeks to make an agreement, and its responsibility as a corporate body will be just as great.

In his speech at Gettsyburg the other day, after reviewing the present tendencies toward combination in all lines of productive industry and asserting the right of the laboring man to sell his labor through a union, Mayor Low of New York said:

If the men claim the right of collective bargaining, and claim it under conditions that involve others besides themselves in heavy loss, have they a right to seek this power while shirking the responsibility that goes with power? All history shows that power without responsibility is dangerous to the welfare of society.

Should not the unions that seek to control conditions of labor all over the land, as has been suggested, frankly accept the responsibility that ought to go with bower, and become incorporated? If collective bargaining is to take the place of individual bargaining, as it probably should, in these days, many cases, in the matter of labor as well as in the matter of commodities, must not society insist that all representatives of such bargaining shall be amenable to law?

These are questions that invite the thoughtful reflection of the members of trades unions as well as the honest friends of organized labor. The action of the wholesale grocery employes is not only an answer to these questions but must inevitably stimulate discussion of compulsory arbitration as a practicable scheme for settling industrial disputes. The first essential for a law of this kind, as everyone knows, is the incorporation of the trades unions that are to avail themselves of its benefits.—Record-Herald.

$10.00 Reward.

Lost—A small cockrel Spaniel, long ears, short tail. Finder please notify this office or Doc Corkings, DeKalb, Ill. 258t6*

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LADY for night operator, experience not necessary. Apply tomorrow forenoon. Lee County Telephone Co., central office. 259tf

Was Resident of Lanark,

Jacob Milling, aged 82 years and a resident of Lanark, died this morning at the Dixon public hospital. His body was shipped to Lanark this afternoon.

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"I was treated for three years by good doctors" writes W. A. Greer, McConnellsville, O., "for Piles and Fistula, but when all failed, Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me in two weeks" Cures Burns, Bruises, Cuts, Corns, Sores, Eruptions, Salt Rheums, Piles or no pay. 25c at Rowland's drug store

FORTUNE FAVORS A TEXAN.

"Having distressing pains in head back and stomach, and, being without appettite, I began to use Dr. Kings New Life Pills" writes W. P. Whitehead, of Kennedale, Tex., "and soon felt like a new man." Infallable in stomach and liver troubles. Only 25c at Rowland Bros.

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Don't let a cold run at this season Summer colds are the hardest kind to cure and if neglected may linger along for months. A long seige like this will pull down the strongest constitution. One minute cough cure will break up the attack at once Safe, sure acts at once cures cough, colds, croup bronchitis, all throat and lung trouble The children like it. Rowland Bros.

A NEW JERSEY EDITOR'S TESTIMONIAL.

M. T. Lynch, ecitor of the Phillipsburg, N. J., Daily Post, writes: "I have used many kinds of medicines for coughs and colds in my family but never anything so good as Foley's Honey and Tar. I cannot say too much in praise of it." Rowland Bros

A SAD DISAPPOINTMENT.

Ineffective liver medicine is a disappointment, but you dont want to purge, strain and break the glands of the stomach and bowels DeWitts Little Early Risers never disappoint. They cleanse the system of all poison and putrid matter and do it so gently that one enjoys the pleasant effects. they are a tonic to the liver. Cure billiousness, torpid liver and prevent fever. Rowland Bros.

FEET SWOLLEN TO IMMENSE SIZE.

"I had kidney trouble so bad," says J. J. Cox of Velley View, Ky., "that I could not work, my feet were swollen to immense size and I was confined to my bed and physicians were unable to give me any relief. My doctor finally prescribed Foley's Kidney Cure which made a well man of me." Rowland Bros.

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No profession has advanced more rapidly of late than surgery, but it should not be useq except where absolutely necessary. In cases of piles for example, it is seldom needed. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures quickly and permanently. Unequalled for cuts, burns, bruises, wounds, skin diseases. Accept no counterfeits. "I was so troubled with bleeding piles that I lost much blood and strength," says J. C. Phillips, Paris, Ill. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me in a short time." Soothes and heals. Rowland Bros.

Yellowstone National Park.

This famous National Park offers to the tourist and sightseer more novelties and curiosities than perhaps any other spot on earth. The stage ride from Monida is through scenery hardly inferior to the Park itself, and this ride is one of the many enjoyments of the trip.

The New Route to the Yellowstone is via the Union Pacific and Oregon Short Line Railroads to Monida, Montana, thence daily by palatial Concord Coaches of the Monida & Yellowstone Stage Company to all points in the Yellowstone National Park.

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COAL BARONS CONFER

Most Prominent of Them Have a Consultation, but Decline to Say Anything.

MARKLE CONTRADICTS MITCHELL

Troops Go To Lebanon to Keep the Peace—More Turbulence in the Coal Region.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 24.—Sheriff Jacobs, of Luzerne county, has sent a telegram to Governor Stone asking that troops be sent to Wilkesbarre and vicinity. He says he is unable to cope with the situation.

New York, Sept. 24. — The usual weekly meeting of the directors of the Temple Iron company was held here yesterday. There were present when the meeting began Presidents Baer, of the Philadelphia and Reading; Truesdale, of the Lackawanna; Fowler, of the New York, Ontario and Western; Olyphant, of the Delaware and Hudson canal company; Walters, of the Lehigh Valley; E. B. Thomas chairman of the board of directors of the Erie railroad, and John Markle, of G. B. Markle & Co., and Alfred Stearns, of Coxe Bros. & Co., independent coal operators. In the afternoon Markle went to J. P. Morgan's office and had a long conference with Morgan. When leaving Markle was asked if the conference had to do with the coal strike. He refused to say what the nature of his business had been.

Contradicts John Mitchell.

Later, at the office of President Baer, Markle was asked whether it is true, as President Mitchell, of the United Mine Workers, said, that no licensed miners have returned to work in the mines since the strike began last May. "That is absolutely false," Markle answered. "There are several hundred certified miners at work today cutting coal." President Baer, before leaving for Philadelphia, said that the meeting had been entirely informal. After the main meeting President Baer and three others, including Presidents Fowler and Truesdale, held a private conference for half an hour.

Baer Declines to Predict.

Regarding the situation in the anthracite fields, President Baer said that every day showed a larger proportion of striking miners returning to work. When asked how much longer he thought the strike would last he said: "I am not a prophet. The strike will end. That is the one thing we may all be certain of. But I will not attempt to say when it will end." The attention of President Underwood, of the Erie, was called to the published statement of Carroll D. Wright that the strike might last three weeks or a month yet, but that the strikers would lose. "The strike is breaking up," said Underwood, "and such a statement from Mr. Wright will probably help matters along."

TURBULENCE IS INCREASING

Another Sheriff on the Point of Calling for the National Guard.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., Sept. 24.—If the lawless outbreaks in the Wyoming region continue Sheriff Jacobs will undoubtedly follow the example of Sheriff Schadt, of Lackawanna county, and call upon Governor Stone for troops. Five carpenters employed at the Conyngham mine of the Delaware and Hudson company while on their way home were held up by a crowd of men and boys, but were rescued by the coal and iron police. In order to drive the rioters off the deputies fired in the air and a stray bullet hit a boy in the shoulder. The boy was at work in the Sheldon ax works' yard. The deputy was arrested and committed to jail for a hearing.

Unknown parties placed several sticks of dynamite under the house of Joseph Harrison, at Plymouth, but a timely discovery prevented the explosion. Two non-union workmen at Plymouth were held up and beaten. At Hughestown, near Pittston, a crowd of men derailed a train carrying a number of non-union workmen to a washery. The engine and two cars left the track and two men sustained slight injuries. At Olyphant, a short distance from the camp of the soldiers, an hour after their arrival, two brothers, Bert and Charles Lundon, of Jefferson township, while on their way to work at the Temple company's Lackawanna colliery were ambushed and shot down in the road. Bert is probably fatally wounded.

Hazleton, Pa., Sept. 24.—A house, the property at Nuremberg of John Sherman, a non-union pump-runner employed at the Derringer colliery of Coxe Bros. & Co., was burned to the ground.

NEW TROUBLE TO CONTROL

Steel Works Strike Grows So Acute That Soldiers Are Called For.

Harrisburg, Pa., Sept. 24.—General Gobin was ordered by Governor Stone last night to send the First battalion of the Twelfth regiment to Lebanon to assist the sheriff in preserving the peace where the iron and steel workers of the American Iron and Steel Manufacturing company have been on strike for nearly five months. The battalion reached Lebanon shortly before 8 p. m. yesterday. A delegation from Lebanon called upon the governor and requested that troops be sent to that city, where rioting occurred Monday evening, resulting in one man being mortally wounded. After consultation the governor ordered General Gobin to send the First battalion of the Twelfth regiment to the relief of the sheriff.

The men went on strike May 5 for an advance of wages. The strikers at that time numbered about 1,000 men, and 2,000 other employes were affected by the idleness of the mills. A few weeks ago the company started up several of its rolling mills with non-union men, all of whom were negroes taken there principally from the south. The presence of the colored men greatly excited the strikers and there has been more or less disorder ever since.

Lebanon, Pa., Sept. 24.—Last night the strikers fired several volleys at the works. H. M. M. Richards, treasurer of the company, was wounded. He was standing in the puddle mill office when a bullet crashed through a window and struck him in the side. President Sternbergh and Superintendent Culliney were standing with Richards when the latter was shot. Later six men were placed under arrest by the troops. This had a salutary effect and the crowd soon dispersed. Shortly before the arrival of the troops the rioters were in a frenzy, and that no casualties were reported seems remarkable. A mob of men took possession of a corn field south of the works and sent out a shower of lead.

TRYING TO FIND A WAY OUT

Employers and Employes in Convention at Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Sept. 24.—At the convention of employers and employes, which is in session here trying to find a way out of strikes and such, yesterday Herman D. Justi, commissioner of the Illinois Coal Operators' association, who is considered one of the leading experts on questions arising between capital and the workingman, declared against arbitration as a first resort in case of a strike, and said it should be the last. Other speakers on arbitration were Frank P. Sargent and F. W. Job.

John Bates Clark, of Columbia university, declared "compulsory" arbitration inevitable. He said the government must decide what is fair for the workman. He also advocated workman's right of tenure of place. The closing address of yesterday was that of W. D. Winan, vice president of the Deere Plow company, Moline, Ills., who spoke on the question of the "Responsibility in Labor Contracts From the Standpoint of the Manufacturer." His point was that the union must be as responsible for its engagements as the employer.

NEW YORK REPUBLICANS

First Day of the Convention Gets a Candidate Off the Track.

Saratoga, N. Y., Sept. 24.—The New York Republican convention organized yesterday and then adjourned for the day to settle a dispute as to who

GOVERNOR ODELL.

should not run for lieutenant governor, with Odell for governor. The man on the slate — urged to run by Odell and Platt—was George R. Sheldon, but objection had been made to him by some of the leaders and many of the rank and file, and his withdrawal was urged on one hand and fought on the other. Among those who stood by Sheldon was Senator Platt.

The difficulty over the candidacy assumed such proportions finally that Governor Odell was summoned from Albany for consultation. He reached here at 9:20 p. m. and went at once into consultation with the leaders of the fight. The conferences were kept up until 2 a. m. today, when Governor Odell came from Platt's cottage and announced that Sheldon had withdrawn from the race.

Suit for Damages Filed.

Vincennes, Ind., Sept. 24.—Clarence and Minnie Duncan have filed suit for $1,999 apiece against the Bostock-Ferari Carnival company, whose big elephant escaped and frightened Mrs. Duncan so that she went insane.

Problems for the Directors.

Bay City, Mich., Sept. 24.—The directors of the Bay County Aagricultural society met Monday to see if they could find a way of paying $1,000 worth of premiums with no money in the treasury.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

John T. O'Sullivan, labor editor of the Boston Globe, was killed by a train at Lynn, Mass.

W. J. Hahn, a leader of the Minneapolis bar, dropped dead in the court room while examining a witness.

In an exhibition mile at Readville, Mass., Dan Patch equaled the world's pacing record of 1:59¼.

John J. Hannahan has been elected grand master of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen to succeed F. P. Sargent.

A New York committee is moving to erect a statue to General Franz Sigel.

The mother of William Hooper Young, who is accused of murdering Mrs. Pulitzer in New York, is a resident of Okanigan county, Wash.

Michigan, Wisconsin, Iowa and portions of Illinois report a good yield of apples.

The temperature conditions last week were generally favorable to crops in all districts east of the Rocky mountains.

The war department has received a cable from General Chaffee confirming the report that Captain Pershing has captured seven Moro forts without losing a man.

All the union journeymen tailors in Louisville, Ky., are out on a strike for more wages.

Senator Bard, of California, who was critically ill of pneumonia last week at Los Angeles, is out of danger.

DEATH OF MAJOR POWELL

One of the Most Pominent Scientists in the World Passes Away.

Haven, Me., Sept. 24.—Major J. W. Powell, director of the bureau of ethonology at the Smithsonian Institute at Washington, died at 6 p. m.

MAJOR J. W. POWELL.

yesterday at his summer home here. He had been critically ill here for some days.

Washington, Sept. 24.—Scientists in Washington placed Major Powell in the foremost rank of the geologists and anthropologists of the world. He had been identified with the scientific work of the government since the early '60's. Major Powell's most notablt scientific work, from the view point of scientists here, was his exploration of the grand canyon of the Colorado in the 60's.

DOES NOT LOVE LILLER

Speaker at the Detroit Meeting of Spanish War Veterans.

Detroit, Sept. 24.—The Spanish War Veterans have voted in favor of amalgamation with the Spanish-American War Veterans' association. During the sessions yesterday a speech on this subject was made by Captain Wilson I. Davenuy, of Chicago.

"I am willing to fraternize," he said, "but it must be with gentlemen. Something happened in Indianapolis yesterday that makes it necesary for me to say this. But now that Liller is deposed the irritating element is out of the field. This fellow is constantly stirring up trouble." Colonel M. Emmett Urell, of Washington City, was elected commander-in-chief.

Indianapolis, Sept. 24.—The president's visit to the convention of Spanish War Vets was the feature here yesterday in that body. His speech was a plea for preparedness for war. At night General Jacob H. Smih, in an address on "The Philippines," defended his course and was cheered at the conclusion of his address

Pershing Wants Reinforcements.

Manila, Sept. 24.—Captain John J. Pershing, of the Fifteenth infantry, operating against the Moros in the island of Mindanao, has found the Moro position at Machin, island of Mindanao, strong and has delayed his attack on it. He must throw a pontoon bridge across a swamp and possibly receive reinforcements.

Waterworks Association Convenes.

Indianapolis, Sept. 24.—The sixth annual convention of the Central States Waterworks' association convened in this city yesterday, and over 100 prominent water works officials from the middle west states are in attendance Delegates are already in the city from Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and other states.

Laborers Tie Up Armour & Co.

Chicago, Sept. 24.—Operations in the beef houses of Armour & Co. were effectually tied up yesterday by 150 laborers who went on strike for an increase of 25 cents a day in wages. The strikers threaten to extend their fight to other portions of the Armour plant unless a settlement is reached.

Army Officer in Trouble.

Butte, Mont., Sept. 24.—Major M. L. Bridgeman, who was recently removed as Indian agent at the Fort Belknap agency, was arrested yesterday by Special Agent McNichols on a charge of falsifying his accounts to the tune of $10,500 in twenty years.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain.

Chicago, Sept. 23.

Following were the quotations on the Board of Trade today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Clse.
Wheat—				
September ..	$ .79¾	$ .85	$ .79¾	$ .80
December ...	.70¼	.70⅜	.69⅜	.69⅝
May	.71	.71¼	.70⅜	.70½
Corn—				
September ..	.62¼	.63	.61	.61¼
December ...	.45¼	.45⅝	.44⅝	.45⅛
May	.41¾	.41½	.40⅞	.41¼
Oats—				
Sept. (old) ..	.26¾	....	....	.26¾
Sept. (new)...	.32¾	.33½	.32⅝	.32¾
Dec. (old)....	.27	....	....	.27
Dec. (new)...	.30⅝	.30⅞	.30½	.30¾
May	.31½	.31½	.31¼	.31⅜
Pork—				
October	16.95	16.95	16.75	16.87½
January	15.15	15.20	15.12½	12.20
May	14.35	14.37½	14.27½	14.37½
Lard—				
October	10.05	10.10	9.97½	10.00
January	8.65	8.67½	8.60	8.62½
May	8.12½	....	....	8.12½
Short Ribs—				
October	10.95	11.05	11.95	11.05
January	8.05	8.05	8.00	8.05
May	7.75	....	....	7.75

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Sept. 23.

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 13,000; sales ranged at $5.60@7.25 for pigs, $7.30@7.90 for light, $7.10@7.46 for rugh packing, $7.35@8 for mixed, and $7.50@7.95 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading at $7.55@7.85.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 5,500; quotatins ranged at $7.60@8.75 fr choice to extra steers, $6.60@7.45 for good to choice steers, $5.75@6.50 for fair to good steer, $5.20@5.80 for common to medium steers, $4.50@5.20 for butchers' steers, $6.30@8 for fed western steers, $2.75@5.45 for stockers and feeders, $1.50@5 for cows, $2.60@6.50 for heifers, $2.75@4.75 for bulls and oxen, $4@4.75 for stags, $3.75@5.25 for Texas steers, $4@6 for grass westerns, and $4.50@7.50 for veal calves.

Sheep—Estimated receipts for the day 20,000; quotations ranged at $2.15@3.80 for westerns, $2.15@3.85 for natives, $4.50@5.40 for western lambs, and $4.50@5.50 for native lambs.

Toledo Grain.

Toledo, Sept. 23.

Wheat—Fairly active and easier; cash, 73⅝c; September, 73⅝c; December, 72¾c; May, 75¾c. Corn—Fairly active and easier; September, 62½c; December, 43½c; May, 46⅝c. Oats—Dull but easier; September, 31c; December, 30⅝c; May, 31⅝c. Rye, 52c.

Statesman and Gambler.

Charles James Fox, the English statesman, was even more notorious in the gaming world than he was famous in the world of politics. He had squandered $250,000 before coming of age. He became one of the most profligate gamesters of the vicious days in which he lived. Some of his finest displays in debate were sandwiched between excitement such as would unnerve most men who had no serious business on hand. Walpole has given a glimpse of a typical passage in this extraordinary man's life. He had to take part in the discussion on the thirty-nine articles in parliament on a certain Thursday. He had sat up playing hazard from Tuesday evening until 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon. An hour before he had recovered $60,000 that he had lost and by dinner time, which was 5 o'clock, ended losing $55,000. On Thursday he spoke in the debate, went to dinner at past 11 at night; thence to a club, where he drank till 7 the next morning; thence to a gambling house, where he won $30,000, and between 3 and 4 in the afternoon he set out on a journey to Newmarket.

Lengthening a Bee's Tongue.

Man is often blamed for driving to extinction many sorts of beautiful creatures, but the account is far more than balanced by the amount of good he has done for those animals which proved useful and could be tamed.

Take the case of the bee. The bee lives by its tongue, with which organ it is able to extract the honey from flowers. Now, a bee's tongue is naturally about a twenty-fifth of an inch long. Clever beekeepers, by keeping only those bees with naturally long tongues, have succeeded in lengthening the tongues of a number of bee colonies to the extent of another hundredth of an inch. It does not sound much, but it enables those insects to do a quarter as much work again in the same time.

Man has done more than this for bees. He has given them ready made homes, where they are safe from wasps and other enemies; frames for making their combs without using large quantities of wax for outside walls, and food during flowerless weather.

Saving the Money.

In a certain parish in Scotland collectors were going round soliciting contributions for the kirk. On coming to a wretched little hovel they hesitated whether or not to enter, but finally decided to "try their luck." A hale old man greeted them, and to him they explained their errand, but he really had nothing to give them, he said.

"Can't yo gi'e up your whisky?" one of the visitors asked. "No," he said, "I don't drink 'whusky.'" Perhaps then he could forego the pleasures of snuff. No, he didn't use snuff.

The collectors prepared to move on. "Stop a bit!" cried the old fellow. "I pay Sandy, the barber, twopence every Saturday night for shaving me. Tell the meenister he can have the twopence if he'll come and shave me himself!"

The Student's Prayer.

There was long ago a divinity hall presided over by a most amiable and dignified professor. On certain days the senior students opened the proceedings of the day with prayer. One morning a raw youth from a remote region performed this duty, and it was a memorable occasion. None who were present can forget how the venerable professor turned and gazed on the untutored lad, who prayed for him as follows: "Lord, have mercy on our professor, for he is weak and ignorant. Strengthen his feeble hands, confirm his tottering knees, and grant that he may go out and in before us like the he goat before the flock."—"Twenty-five Years of St. Andrews."

What Carlyle Wrote of Tennyson.

Tennyson in his prime was thus described by Thomas Carlyle to Ralph Waldo Emerson on Aug. 5, 1844: "One of the finest looking men in the world. A great shock of rough, dusty dark hair; bright, laughing, hazel eyes; massive aquiline face—most massive, yet most delicate, of sallow brown complexion, almost Indian looking; clothes cynically loose, free and easy; smokes infinite tobacco. His voice is musically metallic, fit for loud laughter and piercing wail and all that may lie between; speech and speculation free and plenteous. I do not meet in these late decades such company over a pipe."

When the Cat Was Sacred.

In the middle ages brute animals formed as prominent a part in the devotional ceremonies of the time as they had in the old religion of Egypt. The cat Ælurus was embalmed after death and buried in the city of Bubastis because, according to Herodotus, Diana Bubastis, the chief diety of the place, was said to have transformed herself into a cat when the gods fled into Egypt.

Watch Owner's Pride.

"Then you do not regard him as trustworthy?"

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Beggar—Well, yes. I'd sooner do it in de pulpit or at a church fair, but fate is ag'in me.—Judge.

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Northwestern Opens New Line.

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THORNY ROSE

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Rosalind stood sniffing the white honeysuckle outside the porch, her nose delicately tip tilted, her eyes dancing. Sandy Bowman leaned heavily against the opposite pillar, trying to glower at her, but failing miserably. "If you can bring yourself to marry such a noddy as Ned Ashley for the sake of his money, you're sowing sorrow; that's all I have got to say."

"Oh, thank you!" Rosalind said sweetly. "But, really, is there a pressing need of your saying anything?"

"Yes, just this," Sandy retorted, his mouth setting obstinately. "I love the ground under your feet, but I won't trot tandem with that fellow. You have got to take one of us. Which shall it be?"

He folded his arms and came a step nearer. Rosalind pouted divinely. "You are—horrid, and you can go away. I see Ned Ashley coming down the lane. We are to go for a drive."

"Not behind those browns of his! Ashley is as cruel and cowardly to his horses as he will be to his wife—when he has one. They have run away three times within a month. You must not risk it!" Ned cried, aghast.

Unconsciously he gripped her arm so tightly it made her wince. She shook herself free, saying angrily, "My father, even, does not say 'shall not' to me."

"What's all this—you two quarreling?" Ned Ashley sang out, reining his panting horses in close beside the step. "Come quick, Miss Rose. We are going the mill road."

"Risk your own neck as much as you like. I shall not let you risk Rose's," Sandy broke in.

Ashley scowled. "Risk is what makes life worth living, is it not, Miss Rose?" he asked. "We know we have not between us a drop of coward's blood."

"It is worse than cowardly to take a woman into needless danger," Sandy said, keeping fast hold of Rose.

"Let me go!" Rose said desperately. Ashley struck down Sandy's hand and whipped away, with Rose at his side.

"I have wondered all along how you endured his insolence," Ashley said. Rose turned resentfully from him, saying half over her shoulder: "I never want to see him again. I hate him—nearly as much as I hate you!"

"Ha! My rose is thorny!" Ashley said, with a lazy laugh, beginning to hum:

"High on the hills Lord Heron he dwells;
Rosalind sings on the moor below."

Rosalind put out her hand. "Leave my song and my name alone!" she said imperiously.

"If I may not sing, what may I do?"

"What you like."

Ashley's breath came hard. "I like this!" he cried exultantly, drawing her close and kissing her on the forehead, eyes and lips. One arm held her fast. The reins lay half grasped in the other hand. Still the team might not have misused their advantage had not a bunch of bleating young cattle suddenly broken out of a crossroad right under their noses. Instantly the browns took bits in teeth and were off like the wind.

On the turnpike that would not have greatly mattered, but a mile ahead was a crossroad, rough, rocky and running along a hillside at whose foot the mill pond stretched. To drive over it, taking care, was one thing, to be dragged along it behind maddened beasts another. Down the turnpike the browns swept furiously, a stretching, quickening stride, manes tossing. At the crossroad they wheeled. Ashley flung an arm about Rosalind, saying hoarsely, "Hold hard!" The trap went down the steep descent upon the rim of two wheels, but by a miracle did not upset. Before its occupants caught breath they were jouncing and bouncing perilously over big rocks and roots. Now and again through the tree trunks Rosalind caught the sullen gleam of slack water below. Ashley cowered at the sight. He made to fling loose the reins, crying: Jump! It—it is the only chance!"

"Be still!" Rosalind commanded, snatching the reins. "Don't speak! The horses hate you so I shall never stop them if they hear your voice."

Obediently he crouched in the swaying, rocking vehicle, hiding his eyes with shaking hands, while Rosalind leaned steadily forward, now slacking pull a bit, now gently drawing in an inch of rein. She spoke to the maddened beasts, gently, cheerily. It was in the game she played with death. Unless she could check them before they came to the sharp ramp where the road climbed higher the trap would inevitably topple. Once in the water, the suck of the mill race would do the rest. Strong swimmers could not fight against it, and she could not swim a stroke. As for the thing cowering beside her, it could not even save itself.

Suddenly she dropped to her knees, flung herself as far forward as possible, pulled in with all her strength and at the same time spoke sharply to the browns. Sandy had said as he taught her the trick, "It makes a runaway think you're coming up with him, and he stops to find out how you've done it."

The browns stopped short. Rosalind went white and trembled so she could barely spring from the carriage, but she flushed a beautiful rosy red when Sandy came up with them—Sandy, who had raced after them as soon as he could get to horse.

"Of course I did not faint, you goose! Why should I—with the trouble all over?" she asked.

But Sandy was quite content to be called a goose. Ashley was slinking away, crestfallen beyond words, and Rosalind, his thorny rose, nestled her hand in Sandy's with a look of perfect trust.

MARTHA M'C. WILLIAMS.

DYKEMAN'S PROWESS

[Original.]

Henry Dykeman's mind was occupied with deeds of daring. Our little set of newspaper reporters—Dykeman was one of us—was constantly treated by him to some fanciful exploit in which he had been engaged, though he modestly left all the credit to some one else. At one time he had come upon a man overpowered by footpads just in time, with the assistance of others, to drive the rascals off. At another he had rescued a child from the fourth story of a burning building, mentioning, by the way, that a woman had been rescued from the fifth story by some one else under far more difficult circumstances. Then there were constant encounters with men in the "dives," where Dykeman considered it necessary to go in the pursuance of some of his assignments for criminal news. Occasionally some one not acquainted with him would hear him recount these episodes and sneer, but those of us who belonged to the "gang," as we disrespectfully referred to ourselves, believed that Dykeman was simply suffering from having got into the wrong sphere of life and his stories of adventure were hissings of steam from his safety valve.

"You were missing last night, Dykeman," I would say to him at dinner, when we were assembled at the little restaurant in the alley where we all dined together. "Where do you spend your evenings when off duty?"

"Last night—let me see. Ah, I remember! Last night I was walking on —— street when a woman threw up a window in a house I was passing and cried for help. I went in and found a thief, who had got into the second floor of the house while the family were at dinner, just climbing down a latticework from a rear porch. I reached over and, seizing his coat collar, drew him up. Just then a policeman entered, and I turned him over."

"Did any one else come in for any of the credit?" asked one of the "gang."

"Yes; it was all due to the woman who called for help. She had induced the man to enter a closet by assuring him that he would find the silver there, and when she got him in she slammed the door and turned the key. However, the door was frail, and he broke it down. I tell you she was plucky, that woman."

"But where were you the night before and the night before that? You are never with us any more. Do you rescue some one every night?"

A pained expression came over his face, and I hastened to add:

"Never mind, dear boy. You shall spend your evenings where you please."

Nevertheless curiosity got the better of us, and many were our discussions as to how Dykeman occupied his leisure hours. One said that he was secretly taking boxing lessons, another that he had joined the militia and was giving all his spare time in drill. Dykeman himself when twitted with the subject gave out that he had a job to shadow a multimillionaire.

Time gave no explanation, so at last we concluded to hunt up one for ourselves. Choosing an evening when we were all off duty together, we made our arrangements to follow Dykeman.

"Will you go to the theater this evening?" I asked him. "We are all off tonight and can take in any show you like."

"Thanks. I would like to be with you, but you see"—

"I don't see."

"Well, then, there is a bank"—

"Which is to be robbed tonight."

"How did you know that?"

"Never mind. Go on."

"They need some man who is quick on the trigger, who has plenty of muscle"—

"That will do; business before pleasure. You can go to the theater with us some other evening."

We left Dykeman sitting over a glass of sour wine and sallied forth, ostensibly to the theater, really to places of concealment, from which we watched till he came out, then followed him. He soon stopped at a candy store, from which he emerged with a paper of sweets.

"Is he going to head off the bank robbers by peppering them with bonbons?" remarked one of the "gang."

A second stop was at a fruit stand, where he purchased some luscious peaches and yellow bananas.

"I see," said another. "He's going to scatter the skins on the floor in front of the vault, and the robbers will find their feet in the air and themselves on their backs."

There were no more stops till Dykeman entered a little frame trap on the outskirts of the city. He went in at the door, and we took position at the window. A dim light shone within, and there was half an inch of space between the window shade and sill through which we peered from the outside. A little girl of some seven or eight years was lying on a couch. Her cheeks were thin, her eyes were large and lustrous with disease, and their expression as they flared upon the great muscular figure of Dykeman was that of one who had waited hungrily for him all through the long day. She threw her thin arms about him as he bent over her and patted his broad back, the only manifestation of her delight visible to us now that he was between her and us. Then the candy and the fruit came out, and then—

Then something like shame came over us for eavesdroppping, and one by one we drew away from the window and the sight of this man, who was screening his tenderness and gentleness with his stories of muscular prowess, and the child he had rescued and to whom he was devoting his life.

OLIVE PENNEWELL.

GIVEN UP BY THE SEA

[Original.]

In the summer of 189— I was with the United States fish commission as chemist to an exploring expedition. This commission is a scientific body given more to explorations of the bed and body of the ocean than of studying the cultivation of fish. Deep sea soundings are among its investigations and, I confess, were of greater interest to me than any others in which we were engaged. The apparatus is a dredger let down to the bottom of the ocean at the end of a piano wire. This wire is used on account of its strength and because it presents the least surface to currents. We were sounding and dredging in that deep ocean territory off the Canary islands and after a number of depth measurements turned our attention to dredging. We had lowered the dredge for the third time and started to lift it when, after winding it up a matter of fifty feet, a pressure on the wire was felt. The machinery was at once stopped lest the wire should be broken. We lowered, then raised it, but it caught again. We repeated the process several times, and at last the dredge must have swung clear of the obstruction, for there was no more trouble, the instrument coming safely to the surface.

The dredge used on this occasion consisted of a pair of scoops which as soon as the lowest point of the dredge struck were released from an open position and closed, scraping up a small portion of the bottom. I was in charge of the work when the instrument was raised and opened the scoops with the usual interest as to the nature of the specimen of the bottom I should find. What was my astonishment to see not a particle of the mud I expected, but instead a hairpin and a gold locket, the latter only slightly tarnished. I opened the case with my penknife, for it fitted tightly, and out dropped a bit of thin paper. On one side of the locket was a daguerreotype of a man, on the other a woman.

The only explanation I have ever been able to make for the bringing up of these articles is that the dredge was lowered through some opening in a wreck into a place where the scoops were closed by striking a surface on which the article rested.

Now, I am aware that fate or Providence or whatever we choose to call the supernatural directing power is continually working out all sorts of problems in the most unheard of ways. What the drawing up of these likenesses from one of the deepest parts of the ocean meant I was very curious to know. I looked the locket over carefully in the hope of finding a name, but was disappointed. Then I took the bit of paper below and unfolded it. Though the case had been tightly closed, the paper was saturated, but some parts were comparatively dry. There was writing on it, some of the words being as clear as the day they were written, others hopelessly blurred; but enough were clear to enable me to construct the following:

New York, June 25, 1850.
I have this day married Edgar Guy Hunt and Elizabeth Carnes Mansfield.
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I was disappointed that the writing did not tell of some conspiracy, murder or false imprisonment that I might become, by its possession, an instrument of justice. However, I put the trinket and the paper in my trunk till I returned to New York. Then I hunted for Edgar Guy Hunt and Elizabeth Carnes Mansfield. I found neither, for they were both dead. What I did find was a granddaughter, Elizabeth Mansfield Hunt, who was making a scant living by teaching music. Her story of the family was that her grandfather, Hunt, the only son of his parents, had run away with Elizabeth Mansfield. After his death a cousin claimed a farm in Harlem of which Hunt was the owner, on the ground that Hunt had never been married. Elizabeth Mansfield Hunt had gone abroad to study music, but was returning to claim her husband's property when she was wrecked off the Azores.

After all, there was an important feature to my find. The farm in Harlem had grown to be worth more than $5,000,000, and Elizabeth Mansfield Hunt was the legal heir. The only evidence of the marriage of her grandmother had gone down off the Azores, drifted to the Canaries and had been fished up by me after it had been immersed nearly half a century.

It was the most natural thing in the world that I, a young scientist whose attainments had produced the legal evidence which Miss Hunt so much needed, should interest myself in the restoration of her fortune. I furnished the means necessary to begin suit against the owners of the now divided property, and compromises were made which footed up a total of $1,245,000, or about a fourth of the value of the property. Miss Hunt insisted on dividing what she received with me, but I declined to accept any portion of it, telling her that if she would accept me instead she would make me very happy. She agreed to the compromise, and after we were married, impressed as she was with the benefits accruing from deep sea soundings, she wanted to fit out an expedition, not for the purpose of studying the bottom of the sea, but for fishing up evidence that would right some of the world's wrongs. I explained to her that what I had done would not occur one time in several millions, whereupon she reluctantly consented to forego her project. I continued my connection with the fish commission, but during many years' work in deep sea soundings never afterward drew from the ocean's bottom anything but mud. I have come to believe that in finding the locket I was especially guided by Divine Providence.

ENOCH TRASK BIDWELL.

A REVOLUTIONARY EPISODE

[Original.]

In the little town of Springfield there is a church over 200 years old. In its middle age soldiers of the Revolution were quartered there, and in its old age it sheltered a regiment marching to save the capital from the Confederates. There are sixteen panes of glass in every sash and sixty-four panes in every window. The pews remind one of pens, and the pulpit is perched up under the roof. But the oldest fashioned thing about it is the clock in the little steeple.

During the Revolution the care of the church fell temporarily into the hands of one of the deacons, an ardent Tory. At the time of the occupation of the region by the British Deacon Bradford, occupying neutral ground between both armies, was especially diligent in suppiying the British with information and in keeping his eye open for patriots who were engaged in like efforts for the Americans. The dominie having gone as a chaplain and the sexton as a wagon master with the revolutionists, Deacon Bradford slept in the parsonage, which stood in the next lot to the church, in order to keep it under his personal supervision. His sole duty was once a week to wind the clock. The rest of the time he was spying on the American army for the benefit of the British.

One Saturday night he had taken his lantern and was about to start for the belfry to wind the clock when he heard the clatter of horses' hoofs, and a moment later a dozen British horsemen rode up to the parsonage.

"Deacon," said the leader, "important papers have been missed today from the general's headquarters, and this evening a youth who has been loitering near the general's office is missing. We have tracked a figure flitting along before us which disappeared behind the church. Perhaps it is hiding there."

"No one could get in there," said the deacon, "without the keys. However, we will see."

He led the way to the church door, opened it, and the soldiers, aided by the light of the lantern, poked into every cranny. When no one was found, they rode on, followed by the deacon. Before departing he called to his son Anthony, who had come to the church to see what was going on, to wind the clock and be sure not to forget it.

When they had all gone, Anthony took the lantern and went up into the belfry. Setting the lantern on the floor, he took up the iron crank, fixed it to the arbor and began to turn. The weight seemed unusually heavy, and Anthony wondered what was the matter. When the crank stopped turning, the young man stood mute with astonishment at seeing a young girl step off the weight. She was pale as death.

"Oh, Anthony!" she exclaimed. "I supposed your father was winding the clock. If so, I should have been lost."

"What does it all mean?"

"I am trying to get away from General ——'s headquarters with valuable papers. I know every corner in the old church and came in by way of a loose window in the cellar. Then I went into the weight closet and got on the weight. I heard them searching, and they opened the door to the closet, but I stood too high for them to see me.

"They said they were after a boy. My brother Sam was watching his opportunity to get some papers he had seen on the general's desk. He did not know what they were worth, but he was bound to do something for his country. When he got them, he brought them to me, knowing that he would be suspected. I was going to General Washington's headquarters with them when they gave chase."

"Tony!" called a voice from below.

Whatever of color had returned to the girl's cheeks left them in an instant. She recognized the deacon's voice. Both stood looking at each other, mute with terror.

"Tony," repeated the voice, "if you've wound the clock come down."

Tony was about to do the only thing he could do—go downstairs, leaving the girl to come out later—when he heard his father's step on the stairs below. There was but one staircase, and it was plain that they were caught in a trap.

"Give me the papers," said Tony.

The girl handed them to him, and, thrusting them under his shirt, he seized a hatchet lying among other tools in the clockroom and cut the rope sustaining the weight, which fell to the bottom with a thud. Then, opening a sliding panel used to reach the hands of the clock, he hastily unwound the rope and tossed it out. When his father entered the room, Anthony was descending by the rope to the ground.

The sight of a young girl where the deacon expected to find his son was, to say the least, startling. He looked from the girl to the rope hanging from out the room and was more startled than ever. Taking in the situation, without speaking a word he turned and dashed down the steps. When he reached the ground, there was the rope dangling in the wind. Not knowing what else to do, he started off in the direction of the American army, naturally supposing the fugitive would take this course.

But Tony was too smart to be caught in this fashion. Hiding behind a tombstone in the churchyard, he saw his father go up the road and as soon as he was out of hearing called for the girl to come out. She did so, and the two hurried away. At daylight the next morning they appeared at the headquarters of the general commanding the American forces and supplied him with information which enabled him to expel the British from that region.

ELISE BRISSON.

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—Wm. Stephens has returned from a visit in Chicago.

—Andrew L. Burket of Belvidere is here visiting his parents.

—Miss Ethel Lawrence of Sterling was visiting Miss Leila Stephens yesterday.

—John M. Britts of St. Louis is visiting his uncle, J. S Houser, 210 Third street.

—The City National Clothing House will keep open every night this week during the Carnival.

—Dr. Charles Ives of Pecatonica is here visiting his brothers, Atty. J. J. and Dr. C. H. Ives

—Miss Lucie Long of Lincoln avenue left this morning for a week's visit with friends at Wyanet.

—Wm. Weber of Compton, a member of the Republican County Committee, is here visiting the carnival.

—C. W. Artz, the celebrated piano turner of Chicago, will be in Dixon about October 1st to solicit orders for tuning.

—G. B. Stitzel & Co. will have a carload of milk cows at the Northwestern stock yards tomorrow (Thursday) morning.

—D. M. Fahrney has sold for P. W. Drenner his nice residence property in North Dixon to J. M. Santee; consideration $3,000.

—The ladies of Rebekah lodge are serving dinner and supper in the basement of S. W. Eakin's building on Hennepin avenue.

—Mrs. Clarence Smith of South Dixon made a very pretty basket of corn husks for the Country Store of the Elks' Carnival.

—Eichler Bros. of the Bee Hive store announce that they will keep their store open each evening for the remainder of the week.

—Mrs. Wm. Whitebread and little son Andrew are spending a week here with her sister Mrs. F. J. Franks and attending the Elks' Carnival.

—John F. Fry of College avenue is very ill with typhoid fever. Miss Josie Howell is the nurse in attendance and was sent by the Lodge of Macabees.

—Ernest Schoenemann who has been very ill at the hospital with typhoid fever, is out of danger and will soon be removed to his home on West Sixth street.

—Rev. Idleman of Dixon will assist the pastor of the Pine Creek Christian church in a protracted meeting, service beginning Sunday, Nov. 28. Rev. Idleman will preach Monday evening following. Everybody invited to attend these services.

—Guy Trowbridge, a young son of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Trowbridge northeast of this city met with a painful accident Sunday while playing with a comrade on the home place. He fell from an elevation, breaking the large bone in one arm just above the wrist.

—Sterling Gazette: A car load of poles for the Sterling, Dixon & Eastern Electric railroad arrived here yesterday. The poles are thirty-five feet long. A car load of picks, shovels, hammers and wheel-barrows arrived this morning to be used in laying and excavating for the track.

—Miss Lizzie Woessner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woessner of near Coleta, Whiteside county, was badly injured by a fall from a lumber wagon. Miss Woessner was riding in the lumber wagon and was sitting on the sideboard. The board broke and she was thrown backwards to the ground. Her arm was broken above the elbow.

—Charles Barnes, a veteran of the civil war and an early settler of Whiteside county, passed away at 10:55 o'clock Monday, at his home in Rock Falls, after a long illness of two years, his sickness being a result of disability received in the army. The funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late home, and were in charge of the Grand Army of the Republic of which he was a member.

—J. T. Mason, secretary and treasurer of the J. T. Mason Co., merchants of Niagra, Wis., is here with his wife and two daughters, visiting with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Mason and sister, Mrs. B. Morrison. Mr. Mason is a former Dixon boy, and expressed himself surprised and pleased at the growth and prosperity of his early home.

—There seems to be a good probability that the fall meeting of the Northern Illinois Teachers' association will be held in Rockford October 30 to November 1. Herbert R. Hayden, superintendent of the Rock Island schools, and chairman of the executive committee of the association, was there Friday to see what kind of a welcome Rockford would extend the teachers. He was met by a number of the leading citizens who gave assurance that the city would entertain the visitors in cordial fashion.

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Chicken pie dinner at Christsan church, served by the ladies next Thursday. Also supper at same place. 258t2

Chicken pie dinner at Christian church, served by the ladies next Thursday. Also supper at same place. 258t2

Something doing at the Opera Block Millinery Store, new owner, new goods, new trimmer, latest styles. Everything new and up-to-date. 256tf

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A. I. Gage has the only first-class hack line in the city. Office 317 West First street; both telephones, No. 133

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Meals promptly served all the week by the ladies of Grace church, one door north of Miss Geisenheimer's store. Chicken pie dinner tomorrow. 259t1

Special Clearing Out Sale of street and early fall hats, Opera Block Millinery Store. 59t4

President Roosevelt's Visit To Chicago. Excursion Tickets will be sold

Via the North-Western Line at reduced rates on Friday, October 3, for trains arriving at Chicago before noon of that day, limited to return until October 4, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

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STORE room and basement on west side of building now occupied by Bottling Works, and flat on east side, situated on Frst street. Will Schuler. 248tf2

A NICE cottage with hard and soft water Enquire of Fred Heavens, No. 2 Boyd street. 258wf*

8 ROOM House on North Crawford avenue with city water and electric lights. Enquire of Amos Bosworth. 255tf

HOUSE of seven rooms, half block from Post Office, soft and hard water. Enquire at 117 East Second street. 253tf

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7 ROOM house, small barn, large lot, 7 blocks from Court House. $9 per month. Johnson & Avery. 25316

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FOR SALE.

4 ROOM cottage, corner Spruce and Chestnut street, Rent $6 per month. Inquire next door east, Hines' Addition. 259t6

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